WEATHER INDICATIONS.

FAIR AND COLD TONIGHT.

The Fort Wayne Sentinel

THIS EVENING

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BRUISERS BATTLE.

M'COY AND MAYER MET IN CONEY ISLAND CLUB.

FOR A PURSE OF $20,000

BOTH MEN CONFIDENT WHEN THE FIGHT BEGAN.

MAHER FAVORITE IN BETTING

THERE WAS A SQUABBLE OVER THE REFEREE.

Ring Side, Coney Island Sporting Club, Jan. 1.—The Maher-McCoy fight, which is to take place here this afternoon, has brought a fairly large gathering of the sporting element to the island, but the cold weather made a great many late in arriving. The big club house was like an ice house when the doors were opened, and many of the intending spectators huddled together in the nearby hotels and restaurants, not daring to take the chance

M'COY AS A PLAIN CITIZEN.

of catching pneumonia by the protracted wait within the big enclosure. There was a generous sprinkling of out of town sports among the crowd.

Maher was a pronounced favorite in the betting, at 100 to 70. He reached the island about 2 o'clock and looked to be in splendid condition. With his manager and seconds, Maher repaired to a hotel where he rested after a good rub down.

McCoy arrived about a quarter of an hour after the big fellow and he met with a right royal reception when he stepped out of his carriage.

The betting fluctuated a little, slightly in McCoy's favor. Several bets were made on Maher at 100 to 80.

There are several rumors about a mistake as to Charley White as referee, but these rumors cannot be substantiated.

SOME BIG BETS.

Roger Smith, of Pittsburg, has bet $800 against $1,000 on McCoy. J. J. Daly, of New York, took the long end on Maher. Charley Anderson, of New York, is a strong McCoy man. Early in the week he bet even money on McCoy and today he bet $1,600 to $2,000 on the "Kid." A prominent stock broker took the Maher end of it. Several commissioners are making a circle of the ring, making large bets on Maher. Sam Harris, manager of Terry McGovern, bet $1,000 to $800 with John C. Conners, of Brooklyn, Harris taking the Maher end. Lou Wormser is another Maher man and is betting freely at odds of $1,000 to $800. "Doc" Cramer and Jim Corbett have bet $1,500 even, Corbett choosing McCoy.

At one side of the ring McCoy was an even-money favorite, while at the other side odds were being laid against the "Kid," as the betting men could not get around, the passageways being congested. Jack Adler bet $2,000 to $1,800 on Maher. A western man took the McCoy end.

THE FIGHTERS' SECONDS.

The seconds for the fighters will be as follows: For Maher—Peter Burns, Peter Lowrey, Spike Sullivan and Jimmy Maher. For McCoy—Homer Selby, Jimmy DeForest, Mike Sullivan and Frank Hart.

M'COY GAINS WITH BETTORS.

The prevailing odds are now $1,000 to $800, with Maher the favorite. The dispute as to the referee has not yet been settled.

Gus Ruhling is in the house with his boxing shoes in his pocket, and says if either of the principals fails to enter the ring he will go in.

McCoy backers are backing good at 100 to 80. Nate Fenton and Rod MacMahon, of Buffalo, have bet about $2,000 on McCoy.

The betting is now at even money, McCoy money being so much in evidence as to force the price to the point.

George Cousidine is now offering $2,000 even on McCoy. He has succeeded in placing $1,000.

SQUABBLE OVER REFEREE.

It is now 3:41. The crowd is becoming impatient. It is eleven minutes after the scheduled time for the men to enter the ring and there is no sign of the men. The squabble over the referee is probably the cause of the delay.

Another reason assigned for the delay is that the purse is not up, although the club managers claim is was put up yesterday.

McKoy is now favorite at $100 to $90, with few takers.

THE DEFALCATION WAS LARGE

COUNTY TREASURER GETS AWAY WITH BIG MONEY.

E. H. Hershey is Believed to be in Canada With $65,042.41 of County Funds.

Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 1.—The continued absence of County Treasurer E. H. Hershy and the ugly stories concerning his accounts which have been afloat for a week past prepared the public for the formal announcement today that he is a defaulter and absconder. Mr. Hershey's son was in charge of the office last week endeavoring to straighten the books. He called County Auditor Marsh to his aid and they found a defalcation of $65,000. There is on deposit in the banks of this city $61,840, while the books call for $126,840. There is due the state for tax on money at interest for 1899 the sum of $84,000, of which three-fourths comes back to this county, hence the net sum owing the state is $21,000.

Hershey is believed to have gone to Canada. His financial condition has been regarded with suspicion for a long time, but it is not believed that much, if any, of the county's cash went to help along his regular business. He had been dabbling in stock speculation for some time and lately on a heavy scale, and it is claimed that in the slump of week before last he lost $20,000. He also became a heavy poker player and his losses in this line have been a matter of talk on the street. Stock speculation and poker are believed to have practically eaten up the entire amount of the defalcation.

The office was turned over to the new treasurer this morning, when the shortage was officially announced to be $65,042.41. Two of the bondsmen are brothers of Hershey, and one composed, with the treasurer, the firm of Amos Hershey & Bro., of Gordonville, against which execution for $39,000 was issued last week. These judgments were held by relatives and were confessed but two days previous. They will no doubt be contested and it is expected will be stood aside. The other bondsmen represented the different banks which held the county deposits, and it is expected the shortage will be made good without litigation.

STAMER MAY BE LOST.

New York, Jan. 1.—Some anxiety is being felt for the coasting steamer George Farwell, from New Orleans via Port Tampa for New York. Mr. Pickett, of the firm of Ray and Pickett, ship brokers, on South street, father of the captain, said today that he received a letter from his son at Port Royal, S. C., dated December 21, which stated that the Farewell put in there that day on account of a storm and intended to sail the next day. A storm was raging at that time, which may have prevented the little steamer sailing on the day intended, but she might have left shortly thereafter. She carried about seven men of a crew.

SINGER MEN AT BANQUET.

Salesmen of the Singer Sewing Machine company to the number of about twenty are gathered in Fort Wayne today, and as guests of Henry Groman, the district manager, are enjoying a banquet at the Randall hotel this afternoon. Mr. Groman is in charge of the salesmen of ten or twelve counties, and the banquet is an annual custom on January 1 of each year. Around the banquet table this afternoon the salesmen discussed an elaborate menu, congratulated themselves on the splendid business of the past year and laid plans for the future.

BRITISH VICTORY.

GENERAL FRENCH DEFEATS BOERS AT COLESBERG.

TURNER'S PARTY IS RESCUED

BY CAPTAIN GOLDWORTHY AND 110 MEN.

NO NEWS FROM GEN. BULLER

BELIEF THAT THE BOERS HAVE WEAKENED.

Rensberg, Cape Colony, Jan. 1.—General French has completely defeated the Boers and occupied Colesberg.

The general continued to keep the Boers on the move and pressed them closely Saturday and Sunday, giving them no time to make a prolonged stand, and at daybreak he was within striking distance of the enemy.

Last night all the cavalry, artillery and infantry, the latter riding in wagons to increase the general mobility, started upon a night march with the object of turning the Boers' right. The flank operations were successful, the infantry and field batteries immediately made a feint attack upon the Boer front, and while this was proceeding the cavalry and light artillery got completely around the enemy's right flank, as arranged.

The plan worked without a hitch. The Boers were utterly surprised and finding their retreat threatened, fled in disorder to the eastward, leaving Colesberg in General French's hands.

BOER SPIES IN YOEMANRY.

London, Jan. 1.—Alleged Boer spies it has been discovered, have enlisted in the yoemanry. A representative of Lord Chesham, who is in command of the yoemanry forces, says that the officials of this arm of the service are being pestered by agents of Dr. Leydes, the European plenipotentiary of the South African government. He adds that two of them were actually accepted, but that they were afterwards discovered. He declared that the same thing occurred in Thornycroft's horse guards, seven spies being discovered in that body. He says, continuing:

"We have given word to all our commanding officers to keep a sharp lookout for traitors."

No steps have been taken thus far to punish the alleged spies.

TURNER PARTY RESCUED.

London, Jan. 1.—Owing to the lack of news from important points, interest in nthe war today centers on the comparatively unimportant skirmishing near Dordrecht. Captain Montmonercey's sortie with a patrol of 120 men of the Twenty-first lancers and his retreat, Dec. 30, were followed up the next day by a successful British engagement and the rescue of a small party supposed to be men Captain Montmonercey left behind him.

Uder Captain Goldworthy a force of 110 men, with four guns, accompanied by Captain Montmonercy's scouts, sallied out of Durdrecht during the morning of Dec. 31, to relieve Lieutenant Burner and twenty-seven men left over night at Labuschagne Nek. The Boers were driven back and Lieutenant Turner's party was rescued. Eight Boers and thirteen horses are known to have been killed. The Times, in its second edition, publishes a dispatch from Storkstroom, dated Dec. 31, which says:

"Captain Montmonercey's scouts were cut off owing to their refusal to leave a wounded officer, Lieutenant Warren, of Brabants horse. These men, under Lieutenants Milford and Turner, of the Frontier Mounted rifles, defended themselves most gallantly against the reputed attacks of some eight hundred Boers. The enemy resorted to snipping during the night, but were repulsed with loss.

"At 5:15 this morning Captain Goldworthy, with the same mounted rifles, arrived and the enemy immediately fled to the hills, Turner's party, whose horses had nearly all been killed, were rescued. They displayed splendid pluck and the brilliant manner in which Captain Goldworthy effected their relief on his own responsibility is deserving of the highest praise.

"Our loss was two men wounded. The Boers lost about thirty men, including eight men killed."

Another account says: "The success of the little party will arrest the progress of the enemy's recruiting in that vicinity."

A dispatch from the Modder river says: "December 31 the naval guns planted a few excellent shells without reply. The enemy's position on the left is, apparently, considerably weakened."

But neither from the Modder river nor from Frere comes any news tending to show an impending change in the existing 'impasse,' nor confirming the impression created by yesterday's dispatches that General Buller meditated an immediate forward movement.

Count Gleichen, of the Grenadier guards, and a distant relative of Queen Victoria, who was wounded at the battle of the Modder river, has recovered from his wound and left Cape Town for the front.

A Cape Town dispatch, dated Sunday, December 31, published in the second edition of the Times, says:

"For the moment there is a general lull in active military operations, pending the arrival of General Roberts. It is generally hoped that he will, for some time, at least, direct the operations from here. The absense of General Buller, however unavoidable, has left the colony without that central organization and vigorous control at headquarters essential to the conduct of a campaign along so vast a frontier."

The same correspondent says: "In view of the fact that Dr. Leydes and other Boer agents seem able to cable freely to Pretoria, the British censorship will be even stricter henceforth."

A De Aar dispatch, dated December 31, says a mounted patrol has gone from there and that other arrangements have been made to prevent looting in that neighborhood by small Boer forces.

CAPT. J. H. ROHAN IN CHARGE

NEW COUNTY TREASURER TAKES HIS OFFICE.

County Clerk Belot Administered the Oath This Morning—List of the Deputies.

At 9:30 o'clock this morning Captain J. H. Rowan stepped into the office of County Clerk Frank J. Belot and took the oath of office as treasurer of Allen county. There was little ceremony, and only the office force was present. The new official at once returned to his office and the work of turning over to him the money, books and effects of the county treasurer's office began.

The office is not open for business today, but the new treasurer and his force of assistants are at work familiarizing themselves with the routine of the office. The deputies announced by Captain Rohan are Edward Beckman, Will H. Scheiman, Adolph Schulte and Edward J. Ehrman. The force is a most competent one, and under the direction of Captain Rohan the public has the utmost confidence that the affairs of this responsible position will be most capably conducted.

Captain Rohan, during the past few days, has been familiarizing himself with the work of the office under the direction of the retiring treasurer, L. C. Hunter, who closed this morning a term of most efficient public service. Mr. Hunter goes to Indianapolis today to make his settlement with the state treasurer as the final act in his administration of the affairs of the office.

Captain Rohan's bond of $800,000 was filed two weeks ago as noted in The Sentinel at the time, and it is one of the strongest ever filed in Allen county. The new treasurer, so widely and favorably known in every part of Allen county, will prove a most popular and competent official.

NEW PERIL FOR BRITAIN.

St. Johns, N. F., Jan. 1.—Grave complications are feared between Great Britain and France over the expiration of the Newfoundland fisheries modus vivendi yesterday.

The colonial legislature cannot meet for some weeks, and the British parliament is also closed, so that there is no possibility of any legislation for some weeks to remedy the defect.

France is thus made able to provoke much trouble with the colonial office, and it is feared she will do so.

VARIETY ACTOR DEAD.

London, Jan. 1.—Frank Shepard, of the American variety team of Wood and Sheppard, died Sunday night from pneumonia. He had been preparing to return to the United States after a two years' visit to Europe.

Mrs. Gradey, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Stephen, of 132 West Main street, left today for her home at Kenton, Ohio.

AT WHITE HOUSE

PRESIDENT AND MRS. M'KINLEY RECEIVE GUESTS.

AN IDEAL DAY FOR FUNCTION

CONGRATULATIONS AND WELL WISHES.

RECEIVED IN BLUE PARLOR

ASSISTED BY CABINET MEMBERS AND WIVES.

Washington, Jan. 1.—The social season in Washington was ushered in today with a brilliant New Year's reception at the white house, at which the president and Mrs. McKinley received the congratulations and well wishes of several thousand people, including the representatives of foreign governments, jurists, statesmen, officers of the army and navy, and others eminent in the social and political life of the capitol.

A review of the whole winter calendar up to date could hardly have found a day better fitted for the New Year function. The snow that had grown a trifle grimy during the past week had been covered over night with a fresh fall, scarcely an inch in depth. The broad sweep of the white house drive had been quickly cleared of this, but the lawns were covered with the frost white mantle and the bare, black limbs of the trees were outlined in silver dust that whirled down now and then in tiny flurries as the wind swept through them. The sun was bright but the air was crisp and frosty, too cold for the sun to melt and spoil the holiday setting of the parks and lawns.

At an early hour the streets beyond the white house grounds began to fill with the crowd that surged back and forth for a better place in the public line that was to follow the reception of the various sections of the pageant.

The decorations of the executive mansion were not so elaborate this year as they have been on some former occasions, still there was a profusion of palms, ferns, smilax, holly and other greens everywhere through the state dining room, the blue, red and green parlors and the east room. The mantels were banked high with foliage plants and the window recesses filled with tall graceful palms and rubber plants. The green of the foliage plants was relieved by scarlet poinsinetta and other flowering plants. The light of the brilliant winter day was excluded and the rooms flooded with electric lights from thousands of tubing bulbs in ceilings and sparkling chandeliers, adding to the brilliancy of the decorations. The glittering gold and silver trappings of the members of the diplomatic corps and the full dress uniforms of the army and navy contrasted strongly with the modest black of the jurists, statesmen and civilian officials of the government, as they moved through the mazy throng.

The president and Mrs. McKinley received in the blue parlor, assisted by the members of the cabinet and their wives, and "behind the line" were about fifty of the wives and daughters of senators, representatives, prominent army and navy officers and others high in social and official circles. The full marine band in their red uniforms were stationed at the head of the corridor opposite the state dining room, and throughout the reception played patriotic airs.

The New Year's reception approaches nearer to a court function than any other of the social affairs of the president and the official program, with its order of precedence, is rigidly adhered to.

"HAIL TO THE CHIEF."

The president and Mrs. McKinley met the members of the cabinet in the west corridor on the second floor shortly before 11 o'clock, while the members of the diplomatic corps in their brilliant court dress were gathering in the state diningroom adjoining the red parlor. Promptly at 11 o'clock the bugles sounded the assembly and the red-coated Marine band struck up the strains of "Hail to the Chief." To this air accompaniment the procession, headed by President McKinley and Mrs. McKinley, moved down the broad stairway and took their places in the blue parlor adjoining the red parlor. Mrs. McKinley wore an elaborate gown of brocaded white satin. Owing to her feeble health she received seated.

Next to her stood Mrs. Hay, wife of the secretary of state; Mrs. Gage, wife of secretary of the treasury; Mrs. Root, wife of the secretary of war; Mrs. Griggs, wife of the attorney general; Mrs. Smith, wife of the postmaster general; Mrs. Long, Mrs. Hitchcock, wife of the secretary of the interior, and Miss Wilson, daughter of the secretary of agriculture, all brilliantly gowned. Behind the line gathered the other young ladies of the cabinet, the wives and daughters of senators and representatives and other distinguished officials who had been invited to assist.

DOORS THROWN OPEN.

As soon as all had taken their places the doors of the red parlor were thrown open and the ambassadors and ministers of the foreign governments and their suites, resplendent in their full court dress, headed by Lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador, the dean of the diplomatic corps, moved into the blue parlor to pay their respects to the president and Mrs. McKinley and the receiving party.

The scene in the blue parlor today has seldom been surpassed in brilliancy as the diplomats passed through in their gorgeous uniforms, with their gold and silver court swords dangling from their sides. Especially gorgeous were the Russian ambassador and his suite, stiff with gold braid, the German ambassador and his attaches in their white and silver and the Austrian ambassador in his sable trimmed cape of purple. Especial interest centered in the appearance of the Duke d' Arcos, the Spanish minister, and his beautiful American wife. It was the first white house reception at which Spain has been represented since the close of hostilities and the greeting accorded him was especially cordial. Mr. G. N. E. Elliott, second secretary of the British embassy, also received especial attention as his name appeared in the New Year's list of honors conferred by Queen Victoria as K. B. C., M. G.

The orientals in their bright silks, the Chinese in their green and purple, the Japanese in gold and black, and the diminutive Koreans with their strange head gear attracted much attention. Several of the wives and daughters of foreign ambassadors and ministers were invited behind the line. Among those to whom this honor was accorded were Lady and the Misses Pauncefote, Mademoiselle Cassini and Madame Hengelmuller. After leaving the receiving parlor the diplomats passed on into the east room, where they lingered until joined by the other distinguished callers.

JUDGES AND CONGRESSMEN.

Following the diplomatic corps came Chief Justice Fuller and the associate justices of the supreme court and other members of the judiciary, former members of the cabinet, including ex-Secretary John W. Foster and ex-Postmaster General Gary.

At 11:25 the senators, representatives and delegates of congress, members of the district government and members of the district judiciary appeared in the order named. The number of senators and representatives who attended was unusually small.

THE ARMY AND NAVY.

Following this flight of statesmen and civil officials came the officers of the army and navy in their full dress uniforms, massive golden epaulets and gold embroidered chapeaus. In accordance with custom the army had precedence. Major General Miles, was accompanied by Adjutant General Corbin. The latter, however, gave way as they approached the receiving line and General Miles first greeted the president and Mrs. McKinley.

The line of naval officers which followed, headed by Admiral Dewey, was much longer than that of the army. The admiral's small, well-knit figure was in striking contrast to the large frame of the venerable Rear Admiral Mellville, the famous Arctic explorer. They were followed by Rear Admirals Hichborne and Bradenord and some of the fighting heroes, among whom were "Fighting Bob" Evans, Captain Sigsbee, Lieutenant Commander Wainwright, Lieutenant Hoesler and others. The long line of naval officers was followed by General Heywood, commander of the marine corps, and all of the officers of the corps now on duty in and around Washington. Then came the officers of the district militia and the naval reserves.

Prof. Alexander Graham Bell and Prof. Samuel P. Langley, of flying-machine fame, led the regents of the Smithsonian institute, who were followed by the heads of the various departments, assistant secretaries of chiefs of bureaus, heads of bureaus, etc. When this point was reached Mrs. McKinley withdrew, the ordeal being a trying one for her.

VETERANS OF WARS.

Following these came the veterans of the wars in which the country has engaged. Precedence was given to the few remaining veterans of the Mexican war. The veterans of the civil war included the G. A. R. posts, Loyal Legion, Union Veteran Legion

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NEW YEAR GETS IN

FORT WAYNE'S GREAT WELCOME TO 1900.

SERVICES IN MANY CHURCHES

CATHOLIC CONGREGATIONS AT MIDNIGHT MASS.

STREET GREETING WAS NOISY

MANY SOCIAL GATHERINGS SAW NEW YEAR ENTER.

Several thousands of enthusiastic citizens of Fort Wayne, embracing very largely the younger generation, braved the biting cold of the early morning hours to see that 1900 received a proper welcome, and from every point of view the new born year must have felt complimented at the enthusiastic reception accorded him.

The observance of the occasion was most general. A large number of the city churches held "watch meetings," which began at the usual hour of Sunday evening service and continued until the stroke of 12 ushered in the newest of the cycles of time. At countless homes social parties were gathered to watch the egress of 1899, and promptly at midnight enthusiastic parties upon the streets united with the chiming of bells and the tooting of whistles in contributing a noisy greeting to the season. In this demonstration tin horns, cannon firecrackers, revolvers and the prehistoric shotgun which hasn't been discharged for a year, swelled the pandemonium of noisy welcome.

MIDNIGHT MASSES.

At the Catholic churches the solemn celebration of holy year—the last of the century—began with the stroke of midnight. Large congregations were present, and as the pealing of the bells announced the birth of the new year the solemn religious service began. At the Cathedral solemn high mass was celebrated, Very Rev. John H. Guendling being celebrant, Father Bathe deacon and Father Durham subdeacon. The sermon was preached by Father Durham. The choir rendered a very beautiful musical service for the mass. A majority of the faithful present received holy communion, hundreds approaching the altar. In all the other churches high mass was celebrated at midnight and a majority of the congregations approached the sacraments.

Among the other churches where special services attended the coming of the New Year were Wayne street, Berry street and Simpson M. E., St. John's German Reformed, the Free Methodist and several of the Lutheran churches. In each case the old-time watch meeting custom drew large congregations, and the solemnity of the hour lent much to the impressiveness of the service.

IN OTHER CIRCLES.

About three hundred guests were present at a family festival given by the Turn Verein Vorwaerts at Randall hall. A stage had been erected and an excellent program of songs and recitations was given. In accordance with the old German custom, a watch meeting was held after the entertainment, and the guests remained until young 1900 replaced old 1899. The music for the evening was furnished by the Barner orchestra.

Business is very largely suspended today. Most of the shops, factories and business houses have closed to give their employes a holiday. Special services were held in a number of the churches this morning and countless family gatherings and pretty social gatherings mark the advent of the new year in Fort Wayne.

The skating at the Lakeside rink, on the rivers and in some of the parks is excellent, and a large number are enjoying this fascinating sport, while others who do not fancy the biting cold have gone to Princess rink for a few hours of roller skating.

The curlers have taken possession of Centlivre park and a good crowd is present to witness the annual contest for the points medal, which for two years has been held by John Kidd. Among the competitors for the trophy are David McKay, George Jaap and James Gillie, and the sport promises to be of the most exciting variety.

HORSE DROPPED DEAD.

A horse belonging to Councilman Charles H. Buhr died this morning. Mr. Buhr loaned the animal to a neighbor to haul a load of wood and while hitched in the wagon the horse fell over and died in a few minutes.

To the Public.

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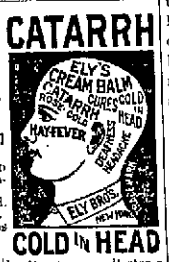

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PLOT AT MANILA.

INSURGENTS HAD PLANNED AN UPRISING.

DURING THE LAWTON FUNERAL

BOMBS WERE TO BE THROWN AMONG CONSULS.

AGUINALDO WAS TO LEAD

RUMOR THAT THE INSURGENT LEADER WAS IN MANILA.

Manila, Jan. 1.—Four explosive bombs, some firearms and 500 rounds of ammunition were found in a house in the center of Manila yesterday while the police were looking for Recarte, the insurgent leader, who was said to have come to Manila in the hope of effecting an outbreak Saturday by taking advantage of the mobilization of the American troops at General Lawton's funeral.

It was learned that the plot included the throwing of bombs among the foreign consuls attending the ceremony in order to bring about international complications. These, it seems, were to have been thrown from the Escolta's high buildings, but the avoidance of the Escolta by the funeral procession spoiled the plan.

NATIVES WERE PREPARED.

The populace, it is thought, had been prepared for the attempt by a rumor circulated widely among the natives yesterday that Aguinaldo was in Manila and would personally lead the outbreak. The American authorities, having been advised of what was brewing, prepared for all contingencies.

Captain Morrison, who commands the troops in the most turbulent district of the city, says he does not believe an actual uprising will ever occur, as the natives lack the resolution to take the first steps in a movement that would entail fighting at close quarters with the American troops.

An American advance in Cavite province, south of Manila, is expected shortly. Reliable reports from native sources show that there are upward of 2,000 organized insurgents under arms within a mile of Imus. They are strengthening their intrenchments and possess artillery.

REBELS GARRISON TOWNS.

At Novaleta the Filipino intrenchments have been much strengthened since General Schwan's advance. A thousand of the enemy are in that vicinity and there are 600 at San Francisco de Malabon. From twelve to 100 garrison all the towns in the southern part of Cavite province and the same may be said of the towns in Batangas province.

The provinces of North Camarines and South Camarines hold quantities of hemp, which the people cannot market. As a consequence, the population in that part of Luzon is suffering from lack of food. Rice now costs four times its normal price. It is estimated that 1,000 insurgents are intrenched at Calamba. Reports have also been received that 2,000 insurgents are massed at Mount Arayat, having strong positions which command steep and narrow trails, and that they are prepared to roll bowlders down upon advancing troops.

TIRED OF TAGALO RULE.

Life along the coasts of the provinces of Cagayan and North and South Ilocos is resuming normal conditions. The American troops occupy the important towns and patrol the country roads. The natives implore the Americans to continue the occupation, to establish a settled government, and to terminate the uncertainty, abuses and confiscations that have characterized the rule of the Tagalo revolutionists during the last eighteen months.

Vast amounts of tobacco, estimated to be worth $2,000,000, are ready for shipment to Manila. The opening of the ports of Dagupan, San Fernando, Vigan, Laong and Aparri tomorrow will permit the resumption of trade, bringing relief to communities greatly in need of foodstuffs. Many vessels have already cleared from Manila for these ports.

Incoming Spanish prisoners declare that Aguinaldo has ordered the release of all Spaniards now in possession of the rebels. The mountain passes of Cagayan and the two Ilocos provinces are still guarded in the hope of catching the insurgent General Tinio, who is still a fugitive. It is asserted that Lieutenant Gilmore is in Tinio's custody.

TINIANO IS DISAPPOINTED.

The transport Zafiro has arrived at Manila, bringing General Tinano, who is much grieved at being supplanted by Colonel Hood as military governor of Cagayan province. He hesitates to land because he looks upon Manila as a nest of insurgents, who may assassinate him because he surrendered Cagayan. He says that when Colonel Hood arrived the presidents of all the towns in the province repaired to Aparri and begged him to continue them in their position, saying that the natives desired to be rid of the presence of the Macabebees, the friars and the colored American soldiers, toward whom they entertained a violent antipathy.

Sixty-eight sick out of Major Batchelor's command of 120 are coming to Manila.

INJURIES ARE PAINFUL.

Miss Lizzie Sullivan, who resides at 400 South Calhoun street, is suffering intense pain as the result of an injury received while enacting the part of Santa Claus on Christmas night. The young lady was struck by a piece of falling furniture, and a gash cut over one eye. She caught cold in the wound, and now it is feared blood poisoning will result.

HE MAY SUCCEED THE POPE

CARDINAL GEROLAMA MARIA GOTTI DESIGNATED.

A Monk of the Barefooted Carmelite Order—He is Very Modest and Humble.

Rome, Jan. 31.—It is asserted that the pope, after the recent ceremony of opening the holy door at St. Peter's cathedral, addressed his intimate entourage and said:

"I thank Divine Providence for granting me the grace of being able to celebrate this great function, and I wish for my successor grandeur and a long reign, to the greater glory of God. My successor will be young as compared with my own age and will have time to see many glories of the papacy and the church."

Later Leo clearly designated Cardinal Girolamo Maria Gott, prefect of the Congregation of Indulgences and Sacred Relics, as his successor. It is hard to tell how the candidature of Cardinal Gotti sprang into existence. He is a monk of the barefooted Carmelite order and is as Ligurian as Pope Julius II. He displayed diplomatic qualities of the highest order in the mission to Brazil confided to him by Leo XIII. In that country, in addition to the conflict going on between the civil and religious authorities, the church was in considerable danger on account of the lack of discipline and of the dissolute morals which prevailed among the clergy and the episcopate. To the great astonishment of everyone, the pope selected the superior of the barefooted Carmelites, who happened to be Father Gotti, to put an end to disorder and re-establish harmony between the religious and civil powers.

Father Gotti in two or three years triumphed over all difficulties, and his success was so complete that on his return the holy father decreed him a cardinal's hat. He has already a small court formed of those who believe his success probable, who honor him as though he were already elected. But he does not take much notice of these flatterers. Greatness appears to have no temptations for him, for, though clothed in purple, he occupies a very modest room at the Forum of Trajan, and sleeps on a monk's bed. He is only 64 years of age. His political tendencies are unknown, and should he be called to succeed the present pontiff he may be either a conciliatory pope or a fighting pope, according to his personal inclination and to the character of the majority which placed him in St. Peter's chair. It is said that Leo XIII has often spoken of him as "my successor."

SEWER GAS EXPLODES.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 1.—An explosion of sewer gas at Knoxville, a thriving borough, near here, about midnight, wrecked a large number of houses and stables and tore up several streets for hundreds of feet. Fortunately no one was injured, but two women, Mrs. John Young and Mrs. Margaret Jackson, are seriously ill from the shock to their nervous systems.

The houses wrecked are twelve frame dwellings, owned by John Young, fronting on Rochelle street and occupied by as many families. They are practically destroyed. The two nearest Long Alley will have to be razed. A dozen dwellings owned by the Knoxville Land Improvement company, at Zara street and Long Alley, are partly destroyed. A stable owned by Edward Jackson, in Long Alley, and a block of five houses owned by Mrs. L. Snyder, are complete wrecks.

Charles, Jucenda, Zara, Amanda and Baughman streets are in bad shape; Knox avenue and Long Alley were also torn up by the explosion and the majority of the streets named will have to be repaved. The damage will reach many thousands of dollars.

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AT WHITE HOUSE.

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and Union Veterans' union. Then came the veterans of the Spanish-American war, about 200 in number.

The Oldest Inhabitant Association of the District of Columbia was the last organization in line. The general public was then admitted and for an hour and a half a constant stream of humanity flowed through the white house portals. Meantime practically all the distinguished callers had departed and many of the ladies in the receiving line who were to hold receptions at their homes had also left.

At 1:15 the last of the public passed the parlor. In all 3,354 persons attended the reception.

CHAOS AT FRANKFORT.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 1.—The day before the meeting of the legislature finds the political situation somewhat chaotic. The republicans and anti-Goebel democrats are expecting protests from the contests among the Goebel democrats for the offices, but it is generally supposed the Goebel democrats will organize both houses. Senator Deboe, while not admitting that this will be done, says it will be no criterion for the outcome of the senatorial race. Republican leaders say all republicans will support for senator the candidate for senator named by the anti-Goebel democrats. It is probable that Senator Goebel will be the president pro tem. of the senate. If so, he will preside in case of appeals from the decision of the republican lieutenant governor. General Wat Hardin today appealed to his close friends in the legislature to remain out of the democratic caucus. Goebel's notice of contest will be served on Governor Taylor either this afternoon or tomorrow.

FRIED ONIONS.

Indirectly Caused the Death of the World's Greatest General.

It is a matter of history that Napoleon was a gourmand, an inordinate lover of the good things of the table, and history further records that his favorite dish was fried onions; his death from cancer of stomach, it is claimed also, was probably caused from his excessive indulgence of this fondness for the odorous vegetable.

The onion is undoubtedly a wholesome article of food, in fact has many medicinal qualities of value, but it would be difficult to find a more indigestible article than fried onions, and to many people they are simply poison, but the onion does not stand alone in this respect. Any article of food that is not thoroughly digested becomes a source of disease and discomfort whether it be fried onions or beefsteak.

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STATE HEALTH BOARD.

Indianapolis, Jan. 1.—In response to a question from Secretary Hurty, of the state board of health, the attorney general submitted an opinion that promises to open no inconsiderable amount of discussion on the part of the city boards of health throughout the state.

The secretary's question was this: "Are secretaries of county boards of health to receive 1½ cents per capita per annum for the total population of their respective counties or only for the population of their counties outside of the incorporated cities and towns?"

Attorney General Taylor held the theory of the legislature of 1899 in amending the law establishing state boards of health was that the state board should be the head; the county boards second and subordinate to the state board and city boards. It was the evident intention of the legislature that secretaries of the county boards of health should have complete supervision of health affairs of the whole of their counties. This being the case they should be entitled to compute their salary upon the whole population of the counties, including the cities and towns.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

BOSCHET.

Henry Boschet, who conducts a saloon on Wells street, died Sunday from consumption at the home of his brother, in Lake township. His illness has been an extended one. Mr. Boschet's age was 36 years, 7 months and 5 days. He was unmarried.

The funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from St. John's Lutheran church in Lake township.

JOHNSON.

John Harvey Johnson, a veteran railroad engineer, died Sunday at his home, 67 Rockhill street, at the age of 66 years, 10 months and 3 days. His death was due to a complication of diseases. Mr. Johnson retired from railroad work some years ago, and came to Fort Wayne two years ago from Peoria, Ill. He leaves a widow, but no children.

The funeral services will be held from the residence Wednesday morning, conducted by Rev. Dr. Parr, of the Wayne street church. The interment will be at Lindenwood.

LEACH.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Leach, of 333 Hanna street, died this morning at the age of 4 days from exhaustion. The funeral services will be held from the residence Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and will be private.

ARMED MEN ARE OFFERED.

Toledo, O., Jan. 1.—The Robert Emmet club, a leading Irish society of Toledo, has inaugurated a movement to assist the Boers. This club in 1898 organized the Emmet guards and offered their services for the war with Spain. At a secret meeting Saturday night resolutions were adopted pledging financial and moral support to the Boers and offering assistance of men if required. Fifty-five volunteers offered their services "in any emergency in which England is involved." Only single men, with no one dependent upon them for support, are accepted. Edward Waters, president of the club, is authority for the statement that the organization has arms for all who volunteer, should arms be needed. Asked about the rumors of an invasion of Canada, Mr. Waters said: "When the orders come it will be our duty to obey. We have advices that French and Irish Canadians are in favor of independence, but this comes to us indirectly." It is claimed that the movement is being directed by Irish-Americans of national reputation, one of whom, it is announced, will visit Toledo during this week.

GRIGGS CANNOT GIVE RELIEF.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Attorney General Griggs Saturday returned to the interstate commerce committee the transcript of the evidence taken in the matter of the new freight classification, with a view to action by the attorney general under the anti-trust law, accompanying it with a statement that if there is a remedy for the complaining shippers it lies in an appeal to the interstate commerce commission. As to the trust feature of the complaint made by the shippers the attorney general said: "There must not only be contract, combination or conspiracy, but it must be in restraint of interstate commerce. As applied to carriers, this means a combination to suppress competition. It is only by suppressing competition and arbitrarily fixing rates that a restraint can be put upon interstate commerce. The filing of an official classification does not fix the rates."

DIDN'T INDICT GALLINGER.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 1.—The grand jury reported to Judge Aldrich today. No indictment was found against Senator Gallinger, charged with violating the civil service laws in soliciting subscription for campaign purposes from federal office holders.

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There is Reason That the German Army Should Bow Down Before the Lord of Hosts.

Berlin, Jan. 1.—Emperor William, at the New Year's parade today, addressed the officers of the garrison as follows:

"The first day of the new century sees our army, in other words, our people, in arms, gathered around their standards, kneeling before the Lord of Hosts, and, verily, if anyone has especial reason this day for bowing down before God, it is our army. A glance at our standard suffices as an explanation, for they are the embodiment of our history. In what condition did the past century, at its dawn, find our army? The glorious army of Frederick the Great had slept upon his laurels, fossilized amid all the petty detail of pipe clay, led by superannuated and insufficient generals, with officers unaccustomed to useful work and lost in debauch, luxury and foolish arrogance. Our army, in a word, was not equal to its mission, which, indeed, it had forgotten. Heavy was the chastisement of heaven which overtook it and fell on our people. It was cast into the dust, the glory of Frederick was extinguished and our standards were broken. In many long years of bitter servitude God taught the people to look to itself and, under the pressure of the foot of the proud conqueror, our people engineered itself the most sublime thought that it is the highest honor to dedicate one's blood and purse to the fatherland in her armed service. Form and life were given it by my great grandfather; new laurels crowned the newly created army and its youthful banners, but universal military service only attained its true significance through our great departed emperor. In his quiet work he evolved the reorganization of our army, in spite of opposition and ignorance.

Glorious campaigns crowned his work in a way never expected. His spirit filled the ranks of our army, even as his own trust in God bore our troops to astonishing victories. With this, his own creation, he brought the German races together and gave us back long-desired German unity. It is to him that our thanks are due, and by his help of that army the German empire, commanding respect, has again assumed the position assigned to it in the council of nations. It is for you, gentlemen, to preserve and employ in the new century the old qualities by which our forefathers made the army great, namely, simplicity and modesty in daily life, unconditional devotion to the royal service, the employment of the whole strength of body and mind in the ceaseless work of training and developing our troops and even as my grandfather labored for his army, so will I, in like manner, untiringly carry on and carry through the work of the reorganization of my navy, in order that it may be justified in standing by the side of my land forces and that by it, the German empire may also be in a position to win the place which it has not yet attained. With the two united, I hope to be enabled with a firm trust in the guidance of God, to prove the truth of the saying of Frederick William, the First: "When one in this world wants to decide something with the pen, he does not do it unless supported by the strength of the sword."

Emperor William has issued an order to the army announcing that in accordance with the unanimous decision of the German sovereigns, "a badge commerative of the last century and as a fresh badge of the unity and the indossolubity of the empire" has been established for the colors of the whole army.

REMARKABLE INCREASE.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 1.—The amount of franchise fees received by the secretary of state during the year which closed yesterday shows a remarkable increase over preceding years, and indicates unprecedented activity in manufacturing and other lines of industry. The receipts of the year were $174,869 as against $39,815 for 1898 and $30,660 for 1897. The amount of fees received from this source more than paid the entire expenses of the state department for the year.

FENIANS STORING DYNAMITE.

New York, Jan. 1.—A special to the Times from Burlington, Vt., says:

It is reported that the Fenians are engaged in storing large quantities of dynamite, lyddite ammunition and supplies in a few selected repositories in remote districts in Vermont and Maine, near the Canadian boundary line. The information comes from persons who claim to have known of the purchase of some of the supplies and others who learned of their transportation by railroads disguised as groceries. Dynamite and other explosives have been secured in large quantities and stored under ground on the Vermont border, while quantities of canned meats have been hidden in some large barns of sympathizing farmers on the Maine line, near New Hampshire.

KILLS FOE TO THIEVES.

Casper, Wyo., Jan. 1.—R. M. (Bob) Devine was killed at his home in Howard county, Kansas, being shot down in his dooryard by an unseen assassin. "Bob" Devine was well known as a terror to the Hole-in-the-Wall outlaws and other bands of cattle thieves. On many occasions Devine proved himself a man of iron nerve. In July, 1897, accompanied by a party of cowboys, he set out for the Hole-in-the-Wall, where it was known a large number of his employer's cattle were held by the outlaws, and surrounded the gang. A battle followed, in which Bob Smith, a notorious outlaw, was killed; Al Smith, another outlaw, wounded, and Bob Taylor, a notorious cattle rustler, captured. "Bob" Devine had a narrow escape from death, a bullet passing through his shirt under his left arm. This affair broke up the outlaw gang for a time, but those who escaped swore they would kill "old man Devine" on sight. It is presumed one of his enemies followed him to Kansas.

METZEL PASSED AWAY.

York, Pa., Jan. 1.—George V. Metzel, founder of the Improved Order of Heptasophs, died suddenly at his home in Stewardstown this morning. He was aged 75 years. On December 13 he celebrated his golden wedding. Deceased was a native of Baltimore, but had resided in this county the past twenty-five years.

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Chicago, Jan. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; native beeves and Texans strong and active; cows and canners steady and active, with stockers and feeders quiet and unchanged.

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Hogs—Receipts today, 25,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 2,450. Market active, 5@10c higher; top, $4.50. Mixed and butchers, $4.15@4.45; good to choice heavy, $4.05@4.50; rough heavy, $4.10@4.20; light, $4.10@4.40; bulk of sales, $4.25@4.40.

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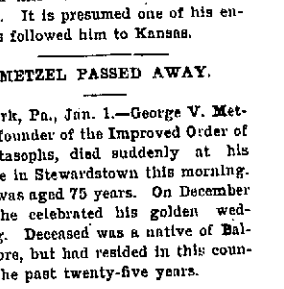

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LOCAL NEWS.

J. C. Props, of Muncie, is registered at the Randall.

William Price, of Elida, O., is the guest of Dr. W. M. Enslen.

Louis Lancaster, of Chicago, is the guest of city friends for New Year's.

Walter S. Mitchell, of Huntington, visited Fort Wayne friends on Sunday.

W. H. Fank and Will Raut, of Auburn, are in the city today, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Skelton are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Payne, at Toledo.

Mrs. H. Guthrie, of Chicago, is the guest of Mrs. F. W. Kelsey, of Michigan avenue.

Messrs. Roy T. Cline and Oliver Besch, of Richmond, Ind., were city visitors on Sunday.

Charles Rosenthal, buyer for A. M. Rosenthal & Co., of Chicago, is the guest of relatives for a few days.

Miss McKim and Miss Fairbanks, who have been visiting Mrs. W. M. McKinnie, left Sunday for the east.

Miss Maude Gaskins and Miss Edna Parham will give a skating party on the reservoir this evening.

Misses Anna Garrison and Susie Trout, of Columbia City, were guests of Fort Wayne friends Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Walton returned to Smith college today, after having spent the holidays with her parents in the city.

Mrs. Emma Richards and grandson, Addis, who have been visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Mungen, left for their home in Chicago today.

The sixth anniversary of Rev. P. J. Rice's pastorate of the West Jefferson street Church of Christ was celebrated Sunday morning with appropriate services.

Mrs. John White and daughter, Virginia, of Sewickley, Pa., who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Potter for a week, returned home on Sunday evening.

E. G. Bloom, of Lincoln, Neb., state agent of the Packard Organ company, is a guest at the Randall. Mr. Bloom is in the city to close up his year's business for that company.

Miss Lavina Van Osdale and William R. Cowell were united in marriage at the home of the bride, on Buchanan street, at 4 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, by Rev. L. L. Henson.

Arthur Livingstone, the insane actor, who has been confined at the St. Joe hospital, became violent Sunday evening and was removed to the poor farm by Deputy Sheriffs Witte and Young.

The East End Baptist misison Sunday school, which met yesterday afternoon at Vogely's hall, had to be abandoned. The gas was so low that the temperature of the room could not be brought up to a bearable degree.

The Fort Wayne mail carriers, with their wives and friends, formed a merry company which united for an outing Saturday evening. They took the evening train for New Haven, and after a fine supper at the hotel, enjoyed a program of dances.

Dr. W. W. Barnett has gone to Samba, Miss., on a hunting expedition, and in a few days will be joined by Hon. R. C. Bell and Dr. C. E. Barnett. They will be the guests of Colonel Duke, who visited Fort Wayen two years ago as the guest of Mr. Bell.

H. A. Rogers and E. S. Baker, who have been conducting the job printing office in the Arcade, have disposed of their plant to H. L. Williamson, who will consolidate it with his Barr street office. Mr. Rogers will probably accept a position on a Chicago paper.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hoffman today their daughters, Miss Hoffman and Miss Emily Hoffman, assisted by Miss Knight, Miss Helen Knight, Miss Barrett, Miss Carnahan, Miss Rockhill and Miss Hughes, will be at home from 5 to 8 o'clock to their invited friends.

"Uncle Dan" Hudgell, recently of F. P. Wilt & Co., has accepted an offer to travel for the wholesale house of Berdan & Co., of Toledo, and his territory will be in the vicinity of Fort Wayne. Mr. Hudgell is one of the best known and most successful travelers on the road and his city friends will be pleased to learn that he will remain in this vicinity.

A bright little paper called "The Echoes from the Pines," which is published by the pupils of the Ursuline academy at Chatham, Ont., contains several contributions from the pen of Miss Mae McEvoy, of this city, who is a pupil there, and a member of the editorial staff of the paper. One is an essay on the comparison of the poems on the skylark by Woodsworth and Hogge, and the other is a sketch of the bishop's holiday.

One of the handsomest homes in Jefferson township is that of William Longuardner, which has just reached a state of completion, and Mr. Longuardner begins the new year by moving into it. The carpenter work was done by John Refold, the plastering by Joe Strater, of Spencerville, and the painting and decorating by R. Varian, of this city. All are expert mechanics and have produced an ideal farm home for Mr. Longuardner.

W. H. Frank and Will Raut, of Auburn, are in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Evans have gone to New York city.

C. F. Scoville, of Auburn, is in the city spending the day with friends.

Frederick Corey and daughter, of Angola, are the guests of Amos Cory.

Mrs. Newill Lewis, of Toledo, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pettit.

Harry Fletcher, of the Patterson clothing store, is visiting at Coldwater, Mich.

Mrs. C. B. Beaver will entertain a company of friends at pedro on Thursday evening.

Bert Lichtenwalter and family are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. David Sprang, of Decatur.

Miss Anna Zeller, of Huntington, is the guest over New Year's day of her sister, Mrs. H. O. Wilson.

Stephen D. Bond returned to his home in Indianapolis today after a visit with relatives in the city.

Miss Agnes Monning pleasantly entertained a party of friends at her home on East Wayne street last evening.

Mrs. W. H. Sellers, who has been visiting in Fort Wayne, is now in Columbia City the guest of her son, Fred.

Mrs. William Snyder and family have returned from Columbia City, where they spent several weeks with friends.

Edward Pyrell and Charles Givens, of Toledo, are in the city the guests of the Misses Irene Eckert and Lulu Currier.

The young ladies who compose the N. S. S. club kept open house at the home of Miss Clara Poole from 2 to 6 today.

Miss Fannie Winch entertained at progressive pedro Saturday afternoon and the event was one of the prettiest of the season.

George B. Saylor, of this city, has been elected a district vice president of the Commercial Travelers' association of Indiana.

Louis Bechtoldt and Joseph Didierjohn, of this city, spent Sunday in Columbia City, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Bechtoldt.

Prof. and Mrs. Brannon, who have been the guests of Judge and Mrs. Robert Lowry, left Saturday evening for their home at Grand Forks, N. D.

Frederick R. Reiling, the letter carrier, resumed his duties today. Mr. Reiling has been detained at home some weeks by illness of his family.

Mrs. L. C. Hunter was hostess for a pretty company Saturday afternoon, the young ladies being invited to meet Miss Louise Greenwell, of Huntertown.

Columbus Council, No. 24, Court of Honor, will install officers and initiate twenty-seven new members on Wednesday evening. Charter closes Jeunary 23.

Miss Della Smith, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, of 52 West Third street, is suffering from appendicitis. She is under the care of Dr. Buhl.

John Buhl, a well known teacher of Madison township, who has been receiving treatment at St. Joseph hospital for some time, is improving and will be able to return to his home in a few days.

Fred N. Arvin, who was formerly in the insurance business in this city, has just won honors in a checker contest at Warren, Pa., his present home. Mr. Arvin was pitted against H. N. Fillsbury, the world's champion.

Thomas Anderson, master carbuilder of the Pittsburg and Western railroad at Pittsburg, passed through the city Saturday evening in company with a party of railroad officials from the west. His daughters, Mrs. Griffith and Miss Anderson, of this city, met their father at the train.

POSTMASTERS MEET.

The postmasters of Allen county will hold a convention at the government building in this city next Thursday, January 4. It is believed the intention is to unite with other postmasters of the state in the formation of a state association.

INCREASE FACILITIES.

Hon. T. E. Ellison, proprietor of the Mondamin Meadows dairy, has decided to greatly increase the facilities of the dairy for the pasteurizing of milk, which has been for some time past carried on on a small scale. The demand for the milk has greatly increased and the present facilities are insufficient to supply the demand. Mr. Ellison will establish a central plant and will augment his force of men and put more wagons on the streets. Pasteurizing is the process which destroys the germs of different diseases in milk.

Holder of coupon No. 988 can have handsome 1900 $40 Rambler for the asking. Halder of coupons No. 416 or 193 may possibly get one.

A. C. KATT, Rambler Agent.

Dr. Baker, recently manager of the Boston Dental parlors, has purchased a half interest in the Arcade Dental Parlors and the firm name of that institution is now Burket & Baker, Baker.

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FOR ALL LUNG TROUBLE

QUAIL SEASON ENDS.

Beginning with January 1 the quail can hop about the fields without fear of being shot by the hunters who may be out with their guns. The law protects the lives of the birds from January 1 to November and any person who kills one is liable to be fined. The season just passed was an unusually good one and it is feared that the quail have been pretty thoroughly cleaned out.

CLUBS THIS WEEK.

Tuesday—The Woman's Reading club meets with Mrs. Robertson. The program for the day calls for papers on "Educational Influence of Pestalozzi," by Mrs. J. G. Thieme, and one on "Child Study and Nature Study," by Mrs. Tom Crighton.

Tuesday—The Current Literature club meets with Mrs. D. H. Caldwell. The subject for the day will be "Paul Kruger and the Boers."

Tuesday—The Nineteenth Century club meets with Mrs. Edwin Dalman.

Wednesday—The Duodecimo club meets with Miss Mary McPhail. The program will be a discussion of "Paradise Lost," by Mrs. Hunting; "Dryden and the Literature of the Restoration."

Thursday—The Morning Musical will have a recital under its auspices in Kimball hall at 2:15. Miss Maud Jennings, of Chicago, pianist, will give the recital.

Friday—An active members' study meeting of the Morning Musical will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles McCulloch at 10 o'clock.

Saturday—The English club will meet with Mrs. S. D. Hamm. The paper for the day will be read by Miss Laura Muirhead on the poetry and drama of France during the reign of Louis XIV.

Saturday—The regular meeting of the Woman's Club league will be held in Kimball hall at 2:30 in the afternoon. The meeting will be in charge of the municipal department, Mrs C. B. Woodworth, chairman. The program will consist of an address by Miss Dean on the subject of street cleaning, on which she is an authority; a solo by Ferd Urbahns, numbers by the pianola, and a three minute talk by the representatives of each of the clubs on "Has the 'Department Idea' Been Detrimental to the League?"

NAMED FOR LAWTON.

Some time ago The Sentinel noted the formation of a post of the Spanish-American war veterans' association in this city. The work has been progressing most favorably, and seventy-five names have now been secured. The post will be named in honor of Major General Lawton, and it is expected that the organization will occur within a few weeks.

FRACTURED A THIGH.

Barney Meyers, a farmer living on the New Haven road, fell from a load of hay Saturday afternoon, fracturing his thigh. Dr. Harrod attended him, and the injured man was conveyed to his home.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Zacharia N. Gongaware and Stella L. Shoup.

Harry Jackson and Ida Jaques.

NOTICE.

Water rent is now due. Pay and save discount. 1t3

Dr. J. A. Williams wishes us to state that the report which has been circulated among his many patients and friends that he had disposed of his interest in the U. S. Dental Parlors, 98 Calhoun street, is untrue, as he has no intention of giving up business. 1t2

Roller Skating at Princess Rink New Years afternoon and evening. 29t3

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The Merchant Tailor, 57 E. Berry St. is prepared to make ladies' garments of all kinds. Perfect fit guaranteed. 27tf

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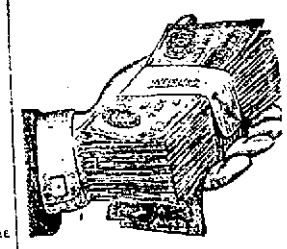
FOR RENT—Two modern residences, one in west end and one on north side. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR RENT—8-room residence, all modern conveniences; also barn; Lake avenue. W. E. Doud. 7-tf



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WANTED—Horse or team; must weigh between 1,300 and 1,400. Address Box 8, Sentinel.

WANTED—If you want to borrow money, see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, up stairs. 13-tf

WANTED—A strong woman to do sweeping and cleaning; day work; must sleep at home. Apply at Wayne hotel. 1-tf

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework; small family; good wages; no washing. 240 W. Berry street. 23-tf

WANTED—A position by a boy of 15 years who is willing to make himself useful at any honorable business. Address "Business," Sentinel. 26-tf

WANTED—I have a stenographer, a pastry cook, a hostler, man wishes work in livery barn; I also have good place for housework of all kinds. Mrs. E. Fitzgerald, 30 West Washington street. 29-tf

WANTED—All the people in Allen county to try our hot soda drinks. Hot Chocolate and Cream, hot Lemon and Orange, Vigoral and Clam Bouillion, the great remedies for weak stomach. Post-Office Drug Store, No. 15 Harrison street, city. 5-tf

WANTED—If you want money on your household furniture, horses, carriages, pianos and other like security on easy payments, everything left in your possession, call and see us. The Reliance Loan Co., Room 0, Arcade, upstairs; open every evening. 18-1mo

WANTED—Active men and women everywhere to take orders for "Life of Moody," the great evangelist; sells at sight; sample enabling you to make from $3 to $7 daily, by mail free on request. Address Globe Bible Pub'g Co., 723 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 23-3t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished front room. 134 West Main street. 24-1mo

FOR RENT—Furnished room; use of bath room. 17 Brackenridge street. 29-6t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with bath at 61 East Wayne street. 16-tf

FOR RENT—2 rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, at 179 Hanna street. 1-2t

FOR RENT—Building, 20x40, suitable for a blacksmith or carpenter shop, etc., at 127 Buchanan street. 12-tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, with board; hot and cold bath; terms reasonable. 20 East Washington street. 2-1mo

FOR RENT—If you want money on household goods see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 13-tf

FOR RENT—Neat 6-room house, with bath and electric light; rent $10 per month. Inquire at 104 Buchanan street corner Hanna. 30-tf

FOR RENT—The third floor of the new building of the Allen County Loan and Savings association. Inquire at office, 32 East Berry street. 17-tf

FOR RENT—A pleasant and convenient 7-room cottage, 138 Walton avenue, for rent at a bargain to the right party. Apply on premises or Schrader & Wilson, 7 Court street. 30-6t

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new 'phone. 10-tf

FOR RENT—8-room dwelling and 3 acres of land; dwelling 30 Lake avenue and stable; 17 West Lewis street; 120 Home avenue; 148 West Wayne street; 136 Walton avenue; 106 Fairfield avenue. Schrader & Wilson, first door Court street. 29tf.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—8-room modern house on south side, near reservoir, at a bargain. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Nice 7-room residence on Creighton, near Calhoun; price, $2,500. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A desirable 6-room residence on Cass street. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A nice 7-room cottage and 70-foot lot on Broadway; very desirable. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Good residence on Wefel street, $1,100. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and full lot, 93 Stophlet street; price, $1,750.00. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—I am offering College Place lots on West Wayne street at regular prices. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Desirable, nearly new cottage, west end, $1,800. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—9-room residence and barn on Maple avenue; a desirable home at reduced price. W. E. Doud.

FOR SALE—Berry Street M. E. church property on Berry street; price on application. W. E. Doud.

FOR SALE—A farm of 87 acres, to be sold by order of the court. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house and barn on South Harrison, near Creighton; price, $2,200. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—New 6-room house; has electric lights; on Fox, near Walnut street; price, $1,800. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Investment in central property; rents at $500; price, $7,000; this is 6 per cent. net. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A good 8-room residence, McClellan street; price, $2,000.00; this is a bargain. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Two-story brick building and grocery stock; cheap if taken at once. Address Box 13, Sentinel. 25-6t

FOR SALE—A good 7-room residence; full lot; in best location on West Third street; price, $2,200. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 13-tf

FOR SALE—A fine modern house; 2½ acres of garden ground; half mile from city limits; will sell at a bargain. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—If you want to buy a house, lot or farm; if you want to borrow money or want to sell property, see Hobilya, Room 22, Bank block. 11-tf

FOR SALE—Lot 230 West DeWald, 25x170 feet; price, $650, $50 cash; balance $6 a month. H. T. Stapleford, 5 Arcade, or 226 West Creighton ave. 30t8

FOR SALE—The best residence property in the city; lot 75x150 feet; frame house, 13 rooms; good cellar; 2 large cisterns; well, city water; best of reasons for selling. Call or address M. F. Schmeltzer, Room 12, Pixley-Long Bldg. 23tf

FOR SALE—Good 2-story barn, 35x32, and the lot it stands on, 35x145, S. Harrison street, one-half square south of Wabash freight house. Inquire at Corcoran's Drug store, near by. Colse in property and a bargain. 27-1m

FOR SALE OR RENT—Fine 6-room cottage house, with hard and soft water, natural gas and good furnace in house; one block from Lutheran church and school, short distance from Catholic church and school, only across the street from public school, and not far from Nickel Plate yards; size of lot 52x150 feet; southeast corner of Franklin avenue and Huffman street. Inquire at same. 27-tf

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Men's wool and fleece lined half-hose at bargain prices.

1,000 dozen ladies', men's, boys' and misses' underwear at 25c per garment; regular 39c values.

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Men's $1.25 outing flannel night robes at $1.00.

Ladies' $1.25 and $1.50 fleece lined wrappers at $1.00.

Ladies' wool shirt waists, all at cost.

Ladies', men's, boys' and girls' wool mittens at 25c, worth 35c.

$2.50 grey wol blankets for $2.00.

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

MONDAY, JAN. 1, 1900.

TONIGHT.

Cigarmakers—Regular meeting of Union No. 37 in Harmony hall.

Bricklayers—Regular meeting of Union No. 2 at No. 7 East Main street.

Union Veteran Legion—Regular meeting of Encampment No. 15.

Ladies of the G. A. R.—Regular meeting of S. W. Stirk circle No. 18.

B. of L. F.—Regular meeting of A. G. Porter lodge No. 141.

Lodges—Sol D. Bayless, F. & A. M., meets for work; Bethany court No. 141, Tribe of Ben Hur; Court No. 15, Tribe of Ben Hur; Fort Wayne No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix No. 101, K. of P.; Camp No. 4701, Modern Woodmen; Sons of Columbus.

Volunteers of America—Religious services in a room on Calhoun street, near Montgomery.

Masonic Temple—Week's events:
This evening—Paul Cazeneuve in "Under the Red Robe."
Thursday evening—"The Heart of Maryland."

Happy New Year.

A western woman's wanting $50,000 for a broken heart does not in the least contradict the sex's innate liking for a fine figure.

An important element in the pleasure boys take in sledding is that very early youth is about the only period when people enjoy going down hill.

Did you turn over the new leaf today? If so, wasn't it real easy? Then follow the example you set for yourself on the first day of the New Year and you are certain to be better in the end for the trying.

It is proper to state that the young Duke of Melborough is not going off to war because his wife's mother is on her way to visit Blenheim. Mrs. Belmont is going to her daughter because the duke has decided to take a hand in the scrimmage in South Africa.

Considerable interest is created by the announcement that Lionel Walter Rothschild has volunteered for service in South Africa, but there appears to be no special reasons why he should not take that step. Lionel Walter Rothschild is a young man in the prime of life—31 years of age. He is a member of the British parliament, unmarried and is prospectively the heir to 15,000 acres of English land. He has certainly a stake in his country. The considerations that should induce him to offer his services in the army of his country are numerous and weighty. The fact that he comes of an ancient Jewish family no longer in this age and in free countries cuts any figure in the case. Looking about him, young Rothschild sees no reluctance among the young men of his class in society to enter the army. The sons of the highest families in England are enlisting to go to South Africa and take their chances in front of the Boer rifles.

Great relief will doubtless be felt by habitues of the gay world at a decision by the supreme court of New York, which holds, in the case of Miss Millicent V. Wilson, an actress, who is suing a cab company for jewelry and other articles lost by a collision, that while the plaintiff must give a bill of particulars of the missing jewelry, she need not tell who gave them to her.

Speaking of the future outlook for Christianity, Dr. Frank W. Gaunsaulus says: "The prospects are bright for the religious world in the coming century. The idealist is about to appear. Large gifts will be made to Christian and educational institutions. The life of the church is on the dawn of a new morning and Christian ideas will create a just and advanced statesmanship. With the simplification of religious beliefs there has come a fundamental and perfected idea of the necessity of live religion and an intensified spiritual life which will express itself in practical affairs. We are nearly done with our wicked praise of brute force."

There are two things in Fort Wayne The Sentinel would like to see. First, if there is any possible manner to protect the horses that travel the asphalt streets the board of works should find it out and before another winter rolls around have these thoroughfares so fixed that the poor dumb brutes could travel without the danger of breaking a limb or neck every moment. And the other is an additional pipe line constructed from the gas fields to the city. If this is done there would be a guarantee of a better supply of gas for fuel and less suffering in the homes which rely on this fuel for warmth. Fort Wayne citizens would appreciate either one or both of these humane improvements.

No American city is improving faster than New York. Improvement in a private way is simply prodigious, but municipal improvement is advancing proportionately. There are five schemes of public improvement that the city now hopes to secure. One is the underground railroad at a cost of $40,000,000; more bridges, $30,000,000; increased water supply, $10,000,000; boulevard to connect the parks, $15,000,000; Dewey arch, $1,000,000. These are only estimates, the cost of execution will doubtless be far greater. New York knows this, but yet she faces these things with equanimity, and more than this, she is demanding pretty strongly that several million dollars be spent for the extension of the docks. She knows, too, that her public park system needs development and millions more are asked for that. As for schools, there are neither buildings nor teachers enough now. Meanwhile, the aesthetic idea is gaining ground rapidly. The whole city, so to speak, is taking seriously the question of public adornment. Elaborate plans for decorating parks and public places with monuments, statues and fountains are talked of freely and find willing listeners.

DEFENSIVE WARFARE.

The battles in South Africa have proven the immense advantage which modern implements of war give to the defending party. The British have met all their reverses in attacking intrenched positions of the Boers. Krueger's soldiers have hardly made the slightest attempts to fight anywhere except on ground chosen and fortified by themselves. They have been besieging Ladysmith and Kimberley for weeks without making a serious effort to capture them by a direct attack, though in both places they have greatly outnumbered their opponents. No doubt a Boer onslaught on a British intrenched position would result in a repulse, just as the British have been beaten whenever they have made the attack.

When the war began the general expectation was that the Boers would force the fighting while they were in superior numbers and would win some great victories, only to be driven back and finally conquered when great British forces from home should be jut in the field. Contrary to expectation, the Boer victories have been won against the newly arrived forces, not against those which were in South Africa when the war broke out. The explanation of this anomaly is simple. The British at first had all the advantages of being on the defensive. Now it is the Boers who are fighting behind earthworks and in trenches and the British are attacking.

This explanation, however, does not excuse the poor strategy of the English. They should have known the great difficulty of pitting exposed men against masked batteries and a protected enemy. The British must win by flank movements, forced marches and surprises, not by merely hurling superior forces against the fortified positions of the Boers.

Lieutenant Melkeljohn, of the Gordon Highlanders, is the most battle-scarred veteran of the Transvaal war and almost any other war. At the battle of Elandslaagte he got three bullets through his right upper arm and one through the forearm, one through the left thigh, two through his helmet, a bit of flesh clipped out of his neck by one, one of his fingers shot off and his sword and scabbard shot to pieces. And yet he is "up and coming," his right arm giving him little uneasiness, his comment being, "The silly duffers did not know I am left-handed."

NOTES OF THE DAY.

T. P. O'Connor says that Mr. Balfour is growing old rapidly in appearance.

Count Gleichen, who was severely wounded at the battle of Modder river, is a nephew of Queen Victoria.

General Pole-Carew, of the Ninth brigade, in South Africa, is known in the British army as "Polly Carey."

According to the London Standard the betrothal of Queen Wilhelmina to Prince William of Wied is definitely settled.

Daniel S. Ford, for forty years proprietor and editor of the Youths' Companion, made it an invariable rule that his name should not appear in the columns of his own journal.

The prince of Wales has received a letter from Emperor William, saying that his majesty and the empress enjoyed their visit to England far beyond their expectations, which were great.

Major Jones, the head press censor in South Africa, was known in England as a kindly and quiet man and his friends are surprised at the complaints of his harshness coming from the correspondents.

It is said that Senator Hanna desires to play a social part in Washington this season that will surpass the brilliant entertainments of the late Senator Brice. This is said to account for his early occupancy of the house formerly the home of Vice-President Hobart.

Grant Allen's whimsically clever advice, "Don't take to literature if you have capital enough to buy a good broom and energy enough to annex a vacant street crossing," does not seem to have carried much weight with his own son, Grant Allen, jr., who is now connected with a London publishing house.

Russell Sage says in a recent interview that his good health is due largely to the fact that he had avoided social functions. "When I was in congress," he says, "Washington life was very gay. But I decided I would take my frugal habits with me. I met a lot of men who drank so much that they couldn't attend to anything. That doesn't pay. I kept my resolution and was very frugal in Washington."

W. J. Fisher, who has been appointed editor-in-chief of the London Chronicle, in place of H. W. Massingham, had recently been acting as Mr Massingham's associate editor. He is a comparatively young man, though he has been identified with the Chronicle for sixteen years or more. For ten years he served his apprenticeship as foreign editor. He has an exceptionally wide knowledge of international politics.

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BRYAN'S KEYNOTE SPEECH

WILL BE DELIVERED NEXT FRIDAY.

Nebraskan Will on That Evening Address a Traveling Men's Club in His Home City.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 1.—A telegram from William J. Bryan, received today in this city, announced that he had concluded his two months' outing at Austin and other Texas points and had departed for home. En route Mr. Bryan is enjoying a New Year's visit with his daughter, who is attending school at Godfrey, Ill., arriving in Lincoln about the middle of the week.

On Friday night Mr. Bryan will be the guest of honor at the annual banquet given by the Traveling Men's Bryan club, an organization of 200 members formed after the campaign of 1896. Mr. Bryan will respond to a toast. His subject has not been announced, but he is expected on this occasion to sound the keynote for the democratic campaign of next year and his statements are awaited with eager expectation. Ex-Governor Hogg, of Texas; Governor Lind, of Minnesota, and Governor Thomas, of Colorado, will also respond. Covers will be laid for 250 guests. Wines or liquors will not be served, in accordance with the rule of the club.

Mr. Bryan will journey to Chicago the following day to attend a democratic function in that city, returning to Omaha January 8 to the annual banquet of the Jacksonian club. He next will visit Minneapolis, thence departing for his eastern tour. His itinerary has not been fully arranged for the eastern trip and will not be announced until he reaches this city.

FINGREE TO BOLT HIS PARTY.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 1.—The most startling prophecy in connection with the political situation in Michigan came to light yesterday. It was a statement that Governor Hazen S. Pingree would bolt the republican party and join his fortunes with the democrats in the next campaign. The announcement was received in various ways by the politicians. The democrats seemed inclined to believe it. The McMillan republicans shrugged their shoulders and said they would not be surprised at anything Pingree did. The story was strengthened by the fact that Governor Pingree's close friend and legal adviser is Elliott G. Stevenson, the former law partner of ex-Postmaster General Don M. Dickinson and a stanch democrat. It is remarked by many that all the governor's actions during the session have played into the hands of the democrats.

WOULD GIVE ROBERTS OATH.

Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 1.—Representative R. W. Miers of the Second congressional district, who is on the committee that is investigating the case of Congressman Roberts, has declared in favor of the oath of office being administered to the Mormon statesman. Representative Miers said:

"The right to be sworn in as a member and the right to maintain his seat as such are different propositions. The constitution defines the requirements necessary to be eligible. The question then arises: Is a person possessing those constitutional requirements, presenting a certificate of election from a sovereign state, entitled to be sworn in as a member; and if sworn in has he a right to retain his seat, in violation of the law against polygamy? The committee may not be a unit on the question of his right to be sworn in, but I will vote in the affirmative."

ENDS LIFE IN SHALLOW WATER

Xenia, Ill., Jan. 1.—The suicide of Miss Flossie Weaver near here yesterday has cast a gloom over the entire community. James Weaver, her father, heard her leave her room about 3 a. m. When she did not return after an hour her parents became anxious and made a search. About 5 o'clock her body was discovered in a small hole in the ice on a small creek one-half of a mile from the house. An examination of the spot where the young woman committed suicide reveals the fact that the water is only about two feet deep She must have crawled under the ice and held her head and shoulders beneath the chilly waters until death came. It is said that a young man of the neighborhood refused to keep his promise of marriage to her and was engaged to wed another girl.

Roller Skating at Princess Rink New Years afternoon and evening. 3012

CHINA DRAWS THE LINES.

Washington, Jan. 1.—China has proclaimed a new law governing concessions to foreigners. Hitherto it has been required that Chinese capital should be represented in every concession in the proportion of three to seven. This has been rescinded and the proportion is now proclaimed to be five to five. The reason given is a desire to prevent foreign capital controlling and absorbing native enterprises. This new regulation also restricts mining application and leases to one special tract minutely defined. No more concessions to open mines at any points throughout a province will be granted. The application must state the identical mine and tract desired. The same laws as to capitalization apply to mining as in other enterprises. It is said that this new law will prevent the reconfirmation of the Brice railroad concessions unless the company to which it was granted is thoroughly reorganized.

One of the most enjoyable social events of the season was the dancing party given Saturday evening by Miss Clara Hull, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hull. The rooms were tastefully decorated and Messrs. Jacobs and Reineke furnished music for the dancing. Refreshments were served at 11 o'clock.

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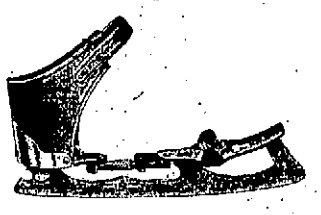

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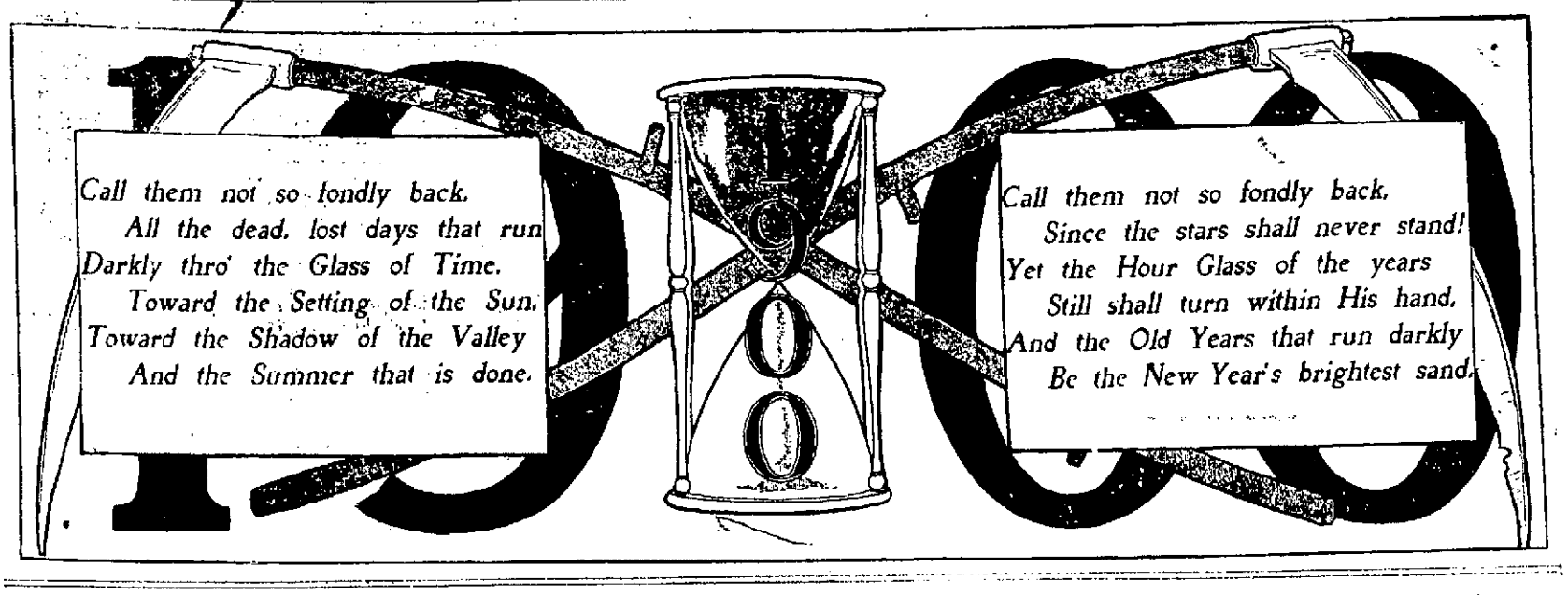
Call them not so fondly back.
All the dead, lost days that run
Darkly thro' the Glass of Time.
Toward the Setting of the Sun,
Toward the Shadow of the Valley
And the Summer that is done.
Call them not so fondly back.
Since the stars shall never stand!
Yet the Hour Glass of the years
Still shall turn within His hand,
And the Old Years that run darkly
Be the New Year's brightest sand.

A SURE CURE.

A NEW YEAR'S STORY BY C. E. CRAM, M. D.

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GEORGE and May Loveroy, who were home from college to spend the holidays in their native town of Buffalo, had accepted the invitation of John and Myrtle Hatch to come over for a New Year's eve supper and stay for the night. It was a jolly party of six, including Mr. and Mrs. Zachariah Hatch, that encircled the table at that last supper of the dying year. Myrtle's married brother, Edward Hatch, and his young wife had promised to be home for the holiday, intending to come up from Rochester on the evening train. Their nonappearance was the only cloud that hung over the Hatch homestead that night.

As in every reunion of old friends, it would be easier to tell what they didn't than what they did talk about, but it was when music was the subject claiming attention that Myrtle remarked:

"Since you went away I've lost my voice. I cannot sing for any length of time without becoming hoarse."

"Ditto here," added John.

"You should try our Professor Debeau's prescription," advised George.

"Which is"—

"Professor Debeau, our instructor in vocal music, says such trouble results almost entirely from a person's breathing through his mouth, especially when asleep."

"Did he suggest a remedy?"

"Yes. He says that the best remedy is to take a wide strip of isinglass plaster and to fasten the lips together with it and leave it on all night. If you buy a yard of the plaster and use it every night, before it's gone your voice is all right. It's sure death to snoring too."

"Did you ever try it?" was John's poser.

"No-o," admitted George. "But several of the boys at college thought it cured their hoarseness, and sore throats, too, at times, and one thing is certain—it will keep a person from snoring."

The pleasant evening enjoyed by the gathering has nothing to do with our story. Suffice it to say that an hour or so after the party rose from the supper table the young men excused themselves and left May and Myrtle to an exchange of confidences while they set out for a stroll. Hardly had the door closed upon their departing forms when Myrtle exclaimed: "May, I have promised to sing at an entertainment next week and have been dreading it for days. Suppose we buy some of that plaster and use it tonight."

May had been thinking of just the same thing.

"Agreed, but we mustn't let the boys know anything about it," was the response.

And, with considerable laughter at the joke, as they conceived it, of testing Professor Debeau's remedy with

"A YARD OF PLASTER, PLEASE."

out the knowledge of their brothers, wraps were hurried on, and the girls were soon on their way to the nearest drug store.

Having secured their treasure, Myrtle and May hurried back and were soon in the privacy of Myrtle's room. An hour or so later they decided, as May expressed it, to "muzzle themselves" and retire for the night. May had felt a tickling in her throat that was doubtless of an imaginary or sympathetic nature and had decided to try the cure herself. So each cut a generous strip of the plaster, moistened and applied it and sat down, hands pressed tightly over mouth, waiting for the plaster to dry.

Naturally when the drying process was completed they found it impossible to speak. So they had recourse to paper and pencil to describe their first sensations as mutes and were soon ready to pay their respects at the shrine of Somnos.

While the young folks had been enjoying themselves in the parlor Mr. and Mrs. Hatch had been in the sitting room, he with his paper and she with her knitting. It was the wife who looked up and said:

"Zachariah, don't you think it would be a good plan to get some of that plaster and see if it wouldn't help you swear off snoring for the New Year? It's dreadful! If you could only hear yourself snore, you wouldn't stop at trouble or expense."

"Perhaps—some time," replied Mr. Hatch, manlike, without taking his eyes off his paper.

"But don't you think you had better try it tonight and start the New Year right?" persisted his wife. "You don't want Mr. and Miss Loverny to go home and say that they couldn't sleep because you snored so loud."

"I suppose so. Don't bother me. Send Myrtle after some if you like," replied the rather gouty tempered Mr. Hatch.

"No; I believe I will go myself and not let the girls know anything about it." And his good wife laid down her work and started for the drug store.

The druggist's surprise gave way to astonishment as Mrs. Hatch demanded

"EDWARD, THEY'RE ALL CRAZY!"

of him a yard of isinglass plaster. He concluded that somebody must be pretty badly cut up over at the Hatches'.

By 11 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Hatch were sleeping soundly, each with lips glued together, the wife fixing hers like her husband's when he complained of the ludicrous figure he would cut when the plaster had been applied.

In the meantime George and John had made the circuit of familiar streets, and neither had realized the lateness of the hour until George, to ascertain the time of night, had stepped to the window of a well lighted store, none other than the drug store with which we are already acquainted. It was 11 o'clock. The druggist was preparing to close up for the night.

Before he could do so John pushed his way into the store. "Wait till I get some plaster," he called out to his companion. "I'm going to try your plan," then to the druggist, "A yard of plaster, please."

"That's the last roll I have," said the tradesman in bewilderment as he handed out the third yard of plaster he had sold to the Hatch family that evening. He began to think that some one was playing a joke on him, and after George and John had departed he hurriedly closed his store.

The boys found the Hatch residence in darkness when they arrived there, except for one solitary light that shone dimly through the slatted windows of the sleeping room occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Hatch. A sleepy housemaid admitted them, and they as silently as possible ascended to their room.

No time was lost in sticking their lips together and a struggle with the lamp followed, ending only when John turned the wick so low that the flame flickered a few times and then died out. Left in silence and darkness, the boys were soon sleeping soundly.

All was quiet and still by midnight, for Mrs. Hatch did not believe in young folks sitting up to watch out old years. Then Myrtle suddenly awoke with the terrifying thought that some one—a man, of course—was holding his hand over her mouth. Then, remembering the events of the evening, she realized the cause of the peculiar sensation. But the shock to her nerves remained. The assertion that her scare was all imaginary, though repeated over and over to herself, failed to quiet them.

There! it was somebody trying to get into the house! The front door bell rang loudly. Then some one began pounding on the door. Myrtle could hear it quite plainly. She sat upright and listened. Never before had she been awake at night and not heard her father snoring. She missed that reassuring snore very much. Could anything have happened to him? Or perhaps the house was on fire! Yes; it must be fire. She was sure that she smelled smoke.

Giving May a tremendous shake, Myrtle slipped out of bed, threw on a dressing gown and hurried down to the front door, where the pounding still kept up. In a moment she had the door open; but, instead of a stalwart fireman, in stepped her brother Edward and his wife.

"Why, it's Myrtle!" cried Edward. "The train was late, and we thought you were never going to let us in. We're nearly frozen and hungry as bears. And how is mother and everybody? Why, what's the matter? Why don't you speak?"

For obvious reasons Myrtle remained silent. A moment later a second silent figure crept down the hallway and stood by Myrtle, and then came Mr. Hatch himself, hastily pulling on a few clothes as he came.

"Oh, here's father! He will explain," cried the amazed Edward as the third figure came groping silently down the twilight of the long hall. "Good heavens, Eva! Father's dumb too!" For in the middle of the hall stood the paternal Hatch, uttering not one word of welcome to his beloved son.

A moment later Mrs. Hatch came down, visibly agitated and unitely waving her arms. Behind her came the two young men, one armed with a baseball bat and the other with a poker. But not one word did they speak. Isinglass plaster has some very adhesive properties, and when one's mouth has been glued shut for three long hours one cannot be expected to carry on an extended conversation. For several minutes the strange group gazed at one another.

"Edward, they're all crazy! Let's go home, anywhere, but do not stay in this house!" cried Mrs. Hatch junior, with strong signs of hysteria.

"Speak, somebody, can't you? For heaven's sake, wish us a happy New Year!" cried Edward, taking his frightened wife in his arms.

But not a word did any one speak. The silent group shuffled sheepishly about, making weird and inexplicable signs, which more and more convinced Edward that all the family of Hatch had suddenly departed with their several and individual senses.

"Mother! Father! Has it come to this? Will you turn your own son away from your door at midnight without one word of welcome? What have I done? What has happened? Can no one speak?"

The answer to the last question had to be a distinct but inarticulate negative. Eva covered her face with her hands and broke into sobs. "They have turned you away, Edward, because—because they think I have dishonored the name of Hatch. Some one has told them about—the—the—apple pies! Tell them, Edward, it was not my fault, not my fault!. I—I—didn't mean—I—oh, I can't go on! I can't go on!" And again poor Eva broke into sobs.

At this point Myrtle slipped away and came down stairs again with a huge pair of scissors in her hands. Without one word of warning and before Edward could throw himself between them she savagely stabbed his father—at least so it seemed in the uncertain light—in the face with the murderous weapon.

"Saved! Happy New Year everybody!" gasped Mr Hatch senior, catching his son in his arms and shaking his hands till they ached. "We're all glued up, my boy, every one of us, glued up with the stickiest, most infernal sort of sticking plaster ever created. That's right, Myrtle. Cut your poor mother loose. She's always best at explaining."

The welkin rang with Edward's laughter when his mother did explain, with much gravity, just how they came to be found in such a predicament, and it took several gallons of hot water to wash away the traces of that isinglass plaster. But there was a second supper in the Hatch homestead that night, and, as every one confessed, it was the jollier of the two.

Pare six potatoes of medium size and cut in quarters. Put one cup of raw salt codfish, picked into some pieces, above the potatoes in the saucepan. Pour boiling water about them and cook until tender. Drain off the water and set the saucepan, covered with a cloth, on the back of the range to dry the potatoes. Mash thoroughly and add black pepper to taste. Beat an egg until white and yolk are well mixed, add gradually a little of the fishball mixture, and when well blended return to the saucepan and beat thoroughly. Shape into smooth balls, place in a frying basket, and fry in deep fat, smoking hot. Serve with a garnish of parsley.

NEW YEAR'S AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

THE PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL RECEPTION TO ALL CALLERS.

Etiquette of Dress—Display by the Army and Navy Officers—Foreigners in Their Dress of State—Handshaking Extraordinary.

As compared to the brilliant court receptions of Europe there is very little in the social functions of official life in this democratic country which would be regarded as strikingly elaborate or gorgeous. The nearest approach to the European court functions is unquestionably the New Year's reception at the White House. In point of brilliancy and formal display it oversteps all the social events at the national capital. On this day the chief executive of the nation receives in state the vice president, the members of his official household, the chief justice and the associate justices of the supreme court of the United States, the foreign legations, senators and representatives in congress, officers of the army and navy, officials of the District of Columbia and such of his fellow citizens as choose to pay their respects to the president on that occasion. To the president it is no holiday task, as he must go through the ordeal of shaking hands with 8,000 or 10,000 people.

Although the New Year's reception begins an hour before noon, custom demands the wearing of afternoon dress. As there is in this country no officially prescribed court dress, there is nothing in the appearance of the diplomatic and civil officials of the government to distinguish them from other well groomed men on formal occasions. The officers of the army and navy, however, appear in full dress uniforms and present a brilliant ensemble. One of the chief attractions of the day which the great throng gathered in the neighborhood of the capital has an opportunity of seeing is the display made by these officers on their march to the White House.

PRESIDENT M'KINLEY RECEIVING CALLERS

The most picturesque feature of the president's New Year's reception is the appearance of the foreign diplomatic corps in their gaudiest and best dress of state. They assemble in the red parlor of the White House with the dean of the corps at their head. This distinction has for a number of years fallen to Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, who will doubtless continue to hold the place as the oldest in point of continuous service of any of the foreign representatives. They form a brilliant procession as they proceed to the president's reception room, the ambassadors being the first in line, followed by the ministers in order of seniority, each attended by his suit, including secretaries, attaches and such ladies of the legations as desire to attend. The South American diplomats, in accordance with their own peculiar custom, appear in full evening dress. It is the orientals who give the picture its gayest coloring. The Chinese minister and his vast suit wear variegated gowns of rich and costly fabrics, though the Japanese are not so showy in their state attire. The Turks appear in their red fezzes and the Koreans in their flowerpot hats and are even more gorgeous than the Chinese.

After the distinguished and brilliant assembly of officials—state, judicial, diplomatic and legislative—has passed through the reception room and received the president's New Year greeting an hour is exclusively devoted to citizens, and the chief executive receives and shakes hands in quite democratic fashion with as many of his fellow countrymen as can reach him during the time allotted to the reception.

SAMUEL HUBBARD.

How to Clean White Coats.

Place some dough in a basin and put it in the oven, taking it from time to time until it is very hot, but not in the least burned. Lay the [illegible] on the table, take a handful of hot flour and rub it well in. Continue in this way till the coat is quite clean, when it must be well shaken to rid it of the flour and then well brushed with a perfectly clean clothes brush.

TWO OFFICIAL CALLS.

The Gentlemanly Way in Which Rival Mayors Observed New Year's.

For years there had been a bitter rivalry between the towns of Juba Hill and Dog Creek, and such a thing as an official visit between town officials had not been dreamed of. Sometimes a Dog Creek man who went over to Juba Hill got back alive, and instances could be cited where a Juba Hill man had got out of Dog Creek without being shot at. These were exceptional cases, however, and there was no guide to go by. When Pete Mahoney was elected mayor of Dog Creek, it was on his pledge to make it still hotter for Juba Hill. That same fall Joe Drake was elected mayor of Juba Hill on his pledge that he would endeavor to wipe Dog Creek off the face of the earth. December was wearing itself away and both towns were whooping it up when Mayor Mahoney heard that Mayor Drake said he was no gentleman.

THEY MET HALF WAY BETWEEN THE TOWNS.

"No gentleman, eh?" he said to some of his closest friends. "Well, we'll see about that. New Year's day will soon be here, and do you know what I'm going to do? I'm going to mount my mule and ride over to Juba Hill and call on Mayor Drake. I'll call as a gentleman should."

At about the same time Mayor Drake was told that Mayor Mahoney did not consider him a gentleman, and he sat down and thought it over and then said to his friends:

"I'll prove that Mayor Mahoney is a hoss thief and a liar. On New Year's day I'll ride over there as a gentleman, call on him as a gentleman and let him see the difference between a scrub and a man."

It is needless to add that both towns encouraged their respective mayors in their plans. When New Year's day came, both mounted their mules at about the same hour and set out, and as a consequence they met half way between the towns. Each had a following of about a hundred. As the two mayors came to a halt Mayor Mahoney graciously observed:

"Will the gentleman from Juba Hill return to Dog Creek with the other gentleman?"

"The gentleman from Juba Hill was about to ask the other gentleman to accept of his hospitality," was the reply of Mayor Drake.

"As a gentleman and knowing what belongs to good manners"—

"As another gentleman and knowing all about etiquette"—

"I must say that Dog Creek has the biggest graveyard."

"But Juba Hill has the most saloons."

"And that you are a duffer and a liar!"

"And that you are a quitter and a sneak!"

Then the respective mayors pulled their respective guns with a whoop. The respective gentlemen on either side followed suit, and for half an hour the most cheerful industry prevailed. The gentlemanly shooting continued until everybody had run short of cartridges or got tired of dodging bullets, and then Mayor Mahoney came out from behind a tree and said:

"The mayor of Dog Creek, who is still a gentleman and no hog, will now bid you a polite good day and retire."

Then Mayor Drake rose up from behind the stump which had sheltered him through the fray and replied:

"The mayor of Juba Hill, who is also a gentleman and knows when he's got enough, presents his compliments and best wishes and trusts that this auspicious beginning of the New Year may strengthen the bond of love between the two towns."

And then each side loaded up its victims and returned home in a gentlemanly way.

A. B. LEWIS.

QUAINT NEW YEAR CUSTOMS.

THE DAY AND ITS OBSERVANCES IN MANY LANDS.

Sometimes a Mingling of Superstitious Ceremonies and Excessive Jollity—Odd Festivities in Scotland, China and Japan.

Every nation has its particular feast days and holidays, some paying greater attention to one and some to another, but all peoples on the face of the earth who reckon time at all in some manner greet the New Year.

We have so shuffled our calendar that now the occurrence of the New Year on the 1st of January has lost its significance. Among primitive nations, however, the New Year invariably marked the opening of one of the natural divisions of the seasons.

One of the oldest of New Year customs is that practiced by the Ainos of Japan. For a thousand years these people have stood still in their civilization, following all their primitive customs and ceremonies. New Year with them is a season of merrymaking which winds up with the great bear feast, called Omsin, in which a huge bear is sacrificed.

In Scotland, where Christmas is not observed as a general holiday because so many Presbyterians look upon its observance as a species of superstition, New Year's day is a joyous one, and a strange way of celebrating the dying of the old year has long been customary there. The last night of the year is called "Hogmenaye night" and is celebrated by drinking, singing and general festivities.

The Chinese are notorious for their fondness for holidays, and the Celestials make the most of this one. They are not content with one day, but take a whole month to celebrate the approach of the New Year. Chinese lanterns, firecrackers, feasting and the paying up of old debts play the major part in the ceremonies.

A strange custom in many parts of Europe is that of having a member of the family, either the eldest or youngest, open the family Bible at random and place his or her finger at any spot on the open page without glancing at it. The verse thus marked is regarded as a sort of text for the ensuing 12 months.

A very poetical old ceremony is that of the so called Messe des Animaux, or animals' mass, which takes place on New Year's eve in the French department of the Cevennes, a country in which the celebration of the New Year almost entirely supersedes that of Christmas. This truly pastoral festival is given in behalf of the herds of cattle which constitute the chief wealth of the hardy mountaineers. Before the ceremony begins herds of cows and sheep and goats are driven to an open space before the church. Inside the building is gathered a crowd of stalwart men and women in festive raiment, each holding a lighted candle while the cure celebrates mass.

Some of the aborigines of our own land have New Year customs that are exceedingly interesting, notably that of the Moqui Indians, called So-ya-o-na, which is a singular and elaborate mythical drama, divided into two parts, in which offerings are made to effigies of the great plume headed serpent, the enemy of the sun. This is followed by a sun dance in which the conflict between the orb of day and the inferior hostile gods is portrayed.

LEONARD ETHERINGTON.

A Problem of Centuries.

"Oh, look before you leap!" he cried.
But to his arms flew she.
"No, no," the little maid replied,
"For this is leap year! See?"

"This year you've leaped all right, I see.
And I am in a kiss.
But 4s[illegible] into 1900 won't go.
You're figures are a miss."

A Bright Pupil.

Teacher—When did Columbus discover America?

Bright Pupil—When he landed here [illegible] ship.—Indianapolis Journal.

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SENATE WILL PUSH ITS WORK

LEADERS SHOW A DISPOSITION TO HURRY FINANCIAL BILL.

No Time for Idling—Prospects for a Lively Wrangle Over Seating Mr. Quay.

Washington, Jan. 1.—When the senate resumes its sittings Wednesday the members will get down to hard work. Longer daily sessions will be held and there will be few adjournments from Thursday to Monday. Much work is to be done and important measures that will suffer by delay must be given prompt attention. The republicans realize that there is no time for dallying and especial efforts will be put forth to expedite business.

The paramount issue, of course, is the financial bill. In the absence of Senator Aldrich, chairman of the committee on finance, who will have charge of the bill, no definite statement can be made as to how vigorously he will press that measure at the beginning of business, but there is no doubt of his general determination to push it along as rapidly as possible after the present week. He has given notice that he will call the measure up on Thursday, and it is generally believed that he will then or on the following day make a statement in support of it.

WILL MAKE FEW SPEECHES.

It is the purpose of the supporters of the bill to make very few speeches, leaving the opposition to do the greater share of the talking, while its opponents on the other hand will use every endeavor to draw the friends of the measure into running debate.

There is no present purpose on the part of the opposition to delay the passage of the bill unnecessarily and likewise none on the part of its supporters to press the measure to the personal inconvenience of opposing senators.

Those senators who are antagonistic to the bill as a rule freely confess their inability to defeat it, saying that it will get practically the entire republican vote if needed, and probably one or two democratic votes. With a session of unlimited duration before them they cannot hope to conduct a successful filibuster. Hence they will not seek to delay the measure beyond the time necessary to discuss its provisions and give the country the benefit of their analyses of its provisions. How long it may take them to do this will depend largely upon the length of the daily sessions and the freedom from interruption by other business.

QUAY FIGHT WILL BE BITTER.

At present there is but one matter which threatens to interfere with the continuity of the proceeding upon the financial bill. That is the right of Senator Quay to a seat in the senate. Senator Chandler, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, has stated that a report will be made in the Quay case soon after the beginning of business.

It now seems probable that there will be more debate over the Quay contest than over the financial measure. Up to date not more than half a dozen senators have announced a purpose to make set financial speeches, while the probabilities are that the Quay case will call out much animated discussion.

It will be difficult to hold the discussion of foreign questions, and especially the Philippine subject, in check during the financial discussion. Many of the southern senators are anxious to bring the Philippine question to the front, and it may be safely predicted that there will be more or less reference to it from the beginning. There will be an early effort to get up the Samoan treaty, and it may furnish a basis for discussion of the foreign policy if one is not found before the treaty is considered.

PLANS OF THE SILVER MEN.

During the present week the foundations of the financial discussion will be laid, and it doubtless will reveal much of the plans of both sides to the controversy. There will be a strenuous effort to pass the bill without amendment, but the opposition will insist upon votes on innumerable propositions, and on some of these they may get the support of some senators known to have prosilver leanings.

The coming week in the house does not give promise of much business. The committees have not yet begun active work and there has not been any legislation of pressing importance reported. The appropriations committee has not yet considered the urgent deficiency bill, although the measure has been prepared. This bill may be brought in during the week if there should be a request from the executive departments asking its early passage.

As the bill will carry nearly $50,000,000 for the army, most of which is on account of the Philippines, it is quite likely that there will be considerable discussion of the Philippine policy while the measure is before the house. There are some minor matters, such as provisions for clerks and the routine management of house affairs, that are to be passed upon.

POTTAWATOMIES' QUITCLAIM.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Samuel M. Biddison, president of the State Mutual Life Insurance company, of Illinois, and Edward Stark have purchased from the Pottawatomie Indians a quitclaim deed of a strip of land on the lake shore of Chicago and Rush street bridge south to the Indiana line. Included in the tract are the land of the Illinois Central road, the Lake Front park, Chicago Beach hotel, a strip along the lake side of Jackson park, lands of the Illinois Steel company and other property. The strip is from two to six blocks wide. The purchasers claim the title was never purchased from the Indians by the government.

The business was transacted with Wesson Molny, principal chief of the tribe, and a committee of Indians. The price is $35,000 to be paid when the title is approved by the secretary of the interior.

THE STATE'S CORPORATIONS.

Indianapolis, Jan. 1.—During the year, closing Saturday, 813 business organizations have been incorporated in the secretary of state's office or certificates of increase, amendment, increase of stock or decrease of stock have been granted. Of the transactions with the 813 organizations, fifty desired certificates or change of name or amendment to former articles of incorporation. The capital stock of the remaining 763 is $37,237,100. Five organizations decreased their capital stock, and forty increased it. The capital stock of those companies which increased during the year is now $6,885,400. This leaves 723 new companies that have been organized and incorporated during the year, and the capital stock of these companies is $30,351,700. The state has received in fees from these articles, certificates, etc., $35,540.

MOODY'S GREAT FAITH.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Dr. Torrey, speaking of Moody's wonderful faith, said in an address Sunday: "Last summer Mr. Moody found that the Northfield schools were unexpectedly short of money, $20,000. He prayed publicly and earnestly for that amount of money, and prayed that it might come in such a manner that it would be an unmistakable answer to prayer. Dr. Torrey said the money came the same day and in the manner desired. One day, just before the world's fair, the Bible institute was short $6,000. Mr. Moody was just sitting down to dinner with others when he proposed that before they ate they should pray for that money. They did so, and before they had finished dinner a telegram was handed them from Northfield informing them that a collection for the institute had just been taken in a meeting there, and that the amount was $6,000, with more to follow."

MR. TAGGART WILL SERVE.

Indianapolis, Dec. 1.—Mayor Taggart will succeed himself as chairman of the Seventh district democratic committee. Recently some of his friends, who are leaders of the party in this district, have waited on him to ask him to accept the place again. The mayor, it is understood, told the committee that he believes the honor should be passed around, but consented to serve, if the party desires him to do so. He has been the member of the committee from this district for several years. Henry Warrum, of this city, is likely to be a new candidate for chairman of the state committee, it is reported. He belongs to the younger element of the party and is president of the Jefferson League of Young Men.

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FIRES NUMBERED 154.

During the year 1899 the Fort Wayne fire department responded to 154 alarms of fire, as against 114 for the year previous. In much the greater number of cases, however, the losses were very small. No other fire approached the DeWald conflagration of last Wednesday morning.

Miss Hottel, of Columbia City, is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hottel.

A CRUSADE BEGUN

AGAINST VICE ON EAST SIDE OF NEW YORK.

GREAT FORCES BEHIND IT

NO SET PLAN OF CAMPAIGN IS OUTLINED.

WORK WILL BE AGGRESSIVE

BETTER ELEMENT OF DISTRICT WILL ASSIST.

New York, Jan. 1.—This, the first day of the new year, has been selected for the inauguration of the crusade against vice on the lower east side. The movement has attracted wide attention by reason of the forces behind it. These include the Society of Ethical Culture, whose leader, Prof. Felix Adler, has announced his intention to rid the congested district of its many "plague spots."

Prof. Adler will have the assistance of over a score of ministers of all denominations, among them, it is reported, Rev. Charles A. Briggs, formerly of the Presbyterian church, but now a Protestant Episcopal clergyman and in charge of the pro-Cathedral in Stanton street, the vicinity of which is called "The infected district."

No set plan of campaign has been outlined, but the work will be pushed with aggressiveness. Much of its force will be due to the fact that the better element of the district will lend a hand in their quiet way and place the leaders of the crusade face to face with the situation.

The politicians will be appealed to, and if those appeals fail then other means will be resorted to.

HANDSOME NEW SCHOOL.

Twenty thousand dollars is the amount to be expended by the congregation of St. Peter's Catholic church in the erection of a handsome new school building, and it is hoped to commence work on the structure early in the spring. A short time ago a fund was started for this purpose, and it has already reached nearly $1,500 from small contributions alone. It is planned to first build a wing along St. Martin's street, fronting Hanna street, and when the treasury will permit it another wing on the opposite corner, DeWald street, will be built. The latter will lie parallel with DeWald street and face on Hanna. Eventually the two wings will be connected by the main building, which will face Hanna street, forming a court yard. It will be when completed a commodious and attractive structure, a credit to the educational buildings of the city. The old school building will be used for club and society purposes when the first new wing is completed.

POLICE REPORT.

Lieutenant Henry Lapp makes the following report of arrests for the month of December, 1899:

Vagrancy	31
Intoxication	14
Associating with prostitutes	13
Prostitution	11
Climbing on moving cars	5
Keeping house of ill-fame	4
Assault intent to rape	2
Petit larceny	2
Trespass	1
Insanity	1
Assault	1
Jumping board bill	1
Idling and loitering in a public place	1
Tottering to steal	1
Total	88

WILL ORGANIZE TUESDAY.

A number of the former employes of the retail department of George DeWald & Co.' store will met tomorrow for the purpose of organizing a stock company to enter the retail dry goods trade. Among those interested in the new venture are Messrs. E. T. Williams, T. M. Lloyd, A. R. McCurdy, Herman Kappel and A. Hitzeman. Attorney C. H. Worden has been retained to draw up the articles of association, and at the meeting Tuesday all the details of the company will be decided upon. The company has practically decided upon a site, though the lease is not yet closed.

OHIO ASSEMBLY ORGANIZED.

Columbus, O., Jan. 1.—The seventy-fourth general assembly met today and elected the republican caucus nominees by a strict party vote. An adjournment was then taken until tomorrow, when Governor Bushnell's message will be read. Under the reorganization Judge A. G. Reynolds, of Lake county, is speaker of the house and Oscar Shepard, president pro tem. of the senate. Lieutenant Governor Jones holds over until next Monday, when he will be succeeded by Hon. John A. Caldwell.

LOCAL NEWS.

Isidor Friend, of Muncie, is in the city.

William B. Little, of Bluffton, is in the city.

Nathan Cohn leaves tomorrow for Purdue university.

Will H. Coffinberry, of Garrett, is a Fort Wayne visitor.

Sol A. Wood, of Angola, is registered at the New Aveline.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Ketler, 198 East Jefferson street—a son.

Morton Mergenthein leaves tomorrow for Chicago to resume his studies at the University of Chicago.

The Fort Wayne Lodge of Perfection is keeping open house at its rooms in the Masonic Temple, and the Fort Wayne Lodge of Elks is receiving its friends at its rooms in the Lau block. The attendance at each place is large.

NOTES OF THE DAY.

The case of the man who doesn't consider himself a trifle above the average is hopeless.

The trouble with some writers is that they are so busy that they haven't time to think.

The trouble with some anglomaniac chappies who try to be English is that they prove only bores.

Many a foreigner comes to this country with an opulent heir and returns home with an opulent heiress.

The ideal figure for a woman and a man's ideal figure don't differ so much. Both generally have a $ mark in front of them.

Over $3,000,000 has been expended this year in connecting the main long distance telephone lines with small towns east of the Mississippi river.

Near a quarry in Italy is a town in which the inhabitants pay no rent or taxes. They are quarry employes who have dug dwellings in the face of a steep rock.

In China a doctor receives pay for keeping his clients in health. The moment they become ill his emoluments cease. That isn't such a bad plan either.

Custom house frauds have been unearthed in Cuba and there are people who contend that the Cubans are not up to the times and are not fit for self-government.

It is estimated that it will take $362,000 to put the Olympia in good condition, which is pretty big, considering that she came through the war without a scratch.

"You and Shortleigh used to be such great friends and yet just now he darted in that store as if to avoid you?" "Yes, you see, though, I loaned him some money."

At a recent auction sale in Paris a copy of the 1755 edition of the "Fables of Lafontaine" brought 6,100 francs. It belonged originally to one of the court ladies of Queen Marie Antoinette.

The crow in New Zeland strikes as sweet a note as any heard in the woodland. The robin has no song and no red breast; the native hen is the greatest of rat killers; there is also a caterpillar which turns into a plant.

Preparations are being made for great expansion in rice culture in Texas. In one county in that state there will be an increase of 7,000 acres, with increases in other counties running up into the thousands of acres.

It is stated that the bill for the "little personal present" which her majesty is dispatching to the Cape for her soldiers and sailors at the front will approach £4,000, and the weight when packed for shipment will be twenty-eight tons.

A certain Mr. Sullivan, once a pugilist, says the Boston Transcript, who has been sued on a bill for beer, testifies that he is "broke." Yet there are men who remember when Mr. Sullivan thought $5 none too much for the boy who blacked his boots.

In Paris a newspaper publishes some statistics which show that in a certain period only one death and thirty-three injuries were caused by automobiles, and during this time sixty-seven deaths and 745 injuries were caused by vehicles drawn by horses.

Once more the rumor is current that Whitelaw Reid, the New York editor, has vice-presidential aspirations. His friends intimate that Mr. Reid's services to the republican party—and particularly the part he took in the recent peace negotiations at Paris—entitle him to distinguished consideration.

According to the Chicago Tribune James A. Allen, of Palmyra, Wis., who is now finishing his fiftieth consecutive year as justice of the peace in that city, is entitled to wear the belt as the champion officeholder. Until the Grant administration Mr. Allen was a consistent republican. Since that time he has voted the democratic ticket, but the change in his politics has made no difference in his success at the polls. In fact, he is so popular that for years he has been unanimously nominated by both parties.

NEW VETERANS TO JOIN HANDS

Organization to Be Known as the National Association of Spanish-American War Veterans.

BY CAPTAIN T. B. FRANCIS.

Ever since the signing of the protocol, when war between the United States and Spain was halted, the soldiers and sailors of the Spanish-American war have been forming social and fraternal orders. In consequence today there are organizations in nearly every large city in the country. There are the Service Men of the Spanish War, the United Comrades of the Spanish-American War, the Legion of Spanish War Veterans, the Association of the Hispano-American War and numerous others.

It is expected that these will all consolidate and be embraced in an organization hereafter to be known as the National Association of Spanish-American War Veterans.

Some months ago Captain William Christopher Liller of Lancaster, Pa., undertook the task of forming a national association and, together with General Joseph Wheeler, General J. P. S. Gobin, Colonel George M. Studebaker, Major Russell B. Harrison, son of ex-President Benjamin Harrison; Major Edward G. Davis, one of the leading medical men in the south, and Captain William E. English, aid-de-camp to General Wheeler and son of Hon. William H. English, issued a call for a meeting to be held at Washington, Sept. 4-6. Great interest was manifested in the movement everywhere. A number of prominent men responded, and the meeting was a success.

But the interest soon began to wane. The new veterans were not ready for the movement. The organization disbanded. Through the efforts of Captain Liller several meetings were held at Washington, Philadelphia and Trenton respectively, and a new organization was launched. The new organization bids fair to hold the undisputed title of a national association.

On Dec. 14, in pursuance to a special call, a meeting of representative officers was held in Trenton, when the necessary steps were taken to perfect the organization. For over a month an extensive correspondence was conducted by Captain Liller, and he was constantly in touch with the representative officers of the Spanish-American war throughout the country. The officers of the new association are:

CAPTAIN WILLIAM C. LILLER.

Commander in chief, General Willis J. Hulings, who at the opening of the Spanish-American war was commissioned colonel of the Sixteenth Pennsylvania volunteers, the only Pennsylvania command that engaged in battle at the invasion of Porto Rico. At the close of the war he was brevetted brigadier general for "gallant and meritorious conduct."

Vice commander in chief, Colonel James B. Coryell, late colonel of the Twelfth P. V. I. and now colonel of the Sixth regiment, N. G. P.

Adjutant general, Captain William C. Liller, Lancaster, Pa.; quartermaster general, Colonel Edwin W. Hine, late colonel of the Second New Jersey volunteers; inspector general, Colonel George W. Taylor, late colonel of the Fourth Virginia volunteers; judge advocate general, Colonel Rufus M. Townsend, late colonel and commissary of subsistence, U. S. V., New York; chief signal officer, Colonel James P. Fyffe, late colonel Second Tennessee volunteers; chaplain general, Captain Charles H. Jones, late chaplain Third New Jersey volunteers.

The constitution as adopted provides: "Its objects shall be to perfect and maintain national departmental and local organizations; to keep alive the memories of the war with Spain and the incident war in the Philippines; to promote the best interests of those who, in the service of the United States, took part in those conflicts and their dependents; to encourage and spread universal liberty and equal rights and justice to all men, as well as to inculcate the principles of freedom, patriotism and humanity. All soldiers and sailors of the regular and volunteer army and navy and the marine corps of the United States who honorably served during the war with Spain and the incident war in the Philippines are eligible to membership."

The governors and adjutant generals of the several states during the Spanish-American war are admitted as honorary members.

Memorial day will be celebrated similarly to that of the G. A. R. and observed on whatever date is customary in the various states. The organization is antagonistic to no other. It will be strictly nonpartisan, nonsectional, nonsectarian and second to none in patriotism.

How to Make Domestic Honey.

This recipe for homemade or "domestic" honey once took the premium at an Ohio state fair: Gradually bring to a boil one quart of filtered rainwater and four pounds of "C" sugar, skim, boil about three minutes longer, then add one-fourth ounce of finely pulverized alum; remove from the fire and stir in one-half ounce of cream of tartar and one tablespoonful of best rosewater or extract of rose.

MANITOBA'S PREMIER.

Son of Sir John Macdonald Succeeds Thomas Greenway.

The new premier of Manitoba, Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, who succeeds Thomas Greenway, is the only son of the late Sir John A. Macdonald, who was for nearly 40 years the leader of the Canadian Conservatives and was for 17 years prime minister of Canada.

Premier Macdonald is a lawyer of Winnipeg and is now in his fiftieth year. He has been a member of the Dominion parliament and was minister of the interior in the administration of Sir Charles Tupper, which held office for two months in 1896.

His facial resemblance to his father is striking, and he has much of the political shrewdness which made Sir John the leading public figure in Canada during his lifetime. It is an open secret in Canada that Hugh John Macdonald is to become the leader of the Dominion Conservative party in succession to Sir Charles Tupper upon the retirement of the latter, who is now in his seventy-ninth year.

HUGH JOHN MACDONALD.

UNIQUE NAVAL PRIZE.

Filipino War
Canoe Captured
In Battle.

One of the most unique naval prizes captured in modern times was recently brought across the Pacific on the transport Sheridan. It was one of Aguinaldo's primitive warships, a war canoe which was used in the engagement of Lingayen bay just after the battle of Dagupan.

The canoe was used by the Filipinos in their operations along the coast of Luzon. It was fired upon by an American gunboat in Lingayen bay, but was not damaged, and the natives who were in it at the time beached the craft and took to the woods. It was seized by General Wheaton and used in landing troops under the fire of the gunboats.

It is believed that the canoe was built nearly a century ago, because the wood, the hardest in the islands, is commencing to rot, and the carving is rude and barbaric. Originally no iron was used in the construction, but patches have been put on from time to time, and rotted wooden pegs have been replaced with modern nails. The rudder was carved with great care from a single piece of wood and is curiously shaped. The anchor is of hard wood, in the shape of a fishhook, the end of the hook being tipped with a sharp piece of iron. The outriggers and mast are of bamboo and the rigging of reeds and wood fiber. The canoe is known in the Islands as a banquer.

ONE OF AGUINALDO'S WARSHIPS.

Wedded Under Difficulties.

A Wilmington clergyman tells of a Philadelphia couple who came to him to be married one day. When they left the hont at the Fourth street wharf in the city, they had but $5 between them. Nevertheless the groom called a cab and ordered to be driven to the city hall and then to the nearest minister. At the city hall he paid $3.00 for a marriage license, which left $1.40 to pay the cabman and to fee the minister. At the latter's house the cabby demanded $1.50. The groom replied that he did not have it, and the driver compromised on $1, leaving 40 cents for the minister.

The groom, however, was not done buying, for he stepped into a near by store and bought an envelope for a cent. In this he put the remaining 39 cents and after the marriage ceremony handed it to the minister. How the newly married couple got back to Philadelphia is a mystery.—Philadelphia Record.

An Easy Cue.

"I wish I knew how to act when I meet a baby. I always feel like a fool."

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" " "	4 25 p.m
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*For Richmond and Cincinnati	12 25 a.m
" " "	7 15 a.m
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*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

WABASH

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GOING EAST.

No. 2 Fast Eastern Express, daily	6 10 a.m
No. 8 New England Fast Mail daily	11 55 a.m
No. 24 Atlantic Express	8 46 p.m

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Western Express, No. 1	11 15
Nickel Plate Express, No. 3	4 55
Local Freight	12 00

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arr. Cincinnati (via C. H. D.) 4 35 p.m
arr. Columbus (via T. & O. C.) 2 05 p.m

WEST BOUND.

" 1 20 p.m. arr. Fort Wayne 4 00 p.m
" Columbus (via T. & O. C.) arr Ft. W 4 00 p.m
All trains daily except Sunday.

Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway—Fort Wayne Branch.

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 462 Way Freight	2 50 p.m
No. 456 Cin. Express and Mail	10 50 a.m
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'p's Express	3 50 p.m
NORTHWARD	DEPART
No. 462 Way Freight	8 55 a.m
No. 456 Through Express & Mail	11 45 a.m
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'p's Express	6 40 p.m

W. A. W. TIME TABLE.

SOUTH.	
No. 41 leaves (except Sunday)	7 10 a.m
No. 43 daily	4 15 p.m
No. 171 Local Freight	7 30 a.m
NORTH.	
No. 40 arrives daily	11 45 a.m
No. 42 (daily except Sunday)	10 25 p.m
No. 170 Local Freight	4 10 p.m

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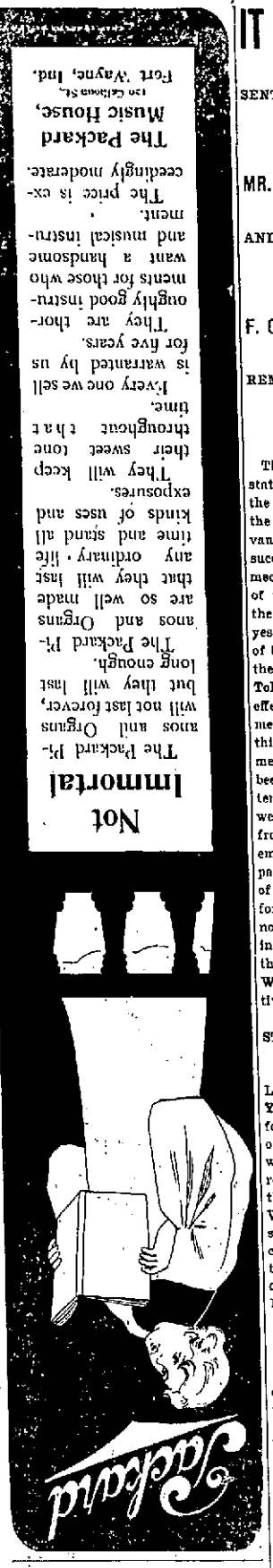

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SENTINEL'S STATEMENT SATURDAY WAS CORRECT.

MR. SMITH TO LOGANSPORT

AND J. D. HARRIS TAKES CRESTLINE POSITION.

F. C. KELLY KILLED IN TEXAS

REMAINS NOW EN ROUTE HERE FOR BURIAL.

The Sentinel's rather indefinite statement, last Saturday concerning the transfer of P. E. Smith, jr., from the Toledo division of the Pennsylvania lines to Logansport, where he succeeds T. W. Demarest as master mechanic, was correct. Official notice of the appointment was received at the Pennsylvania offices in this city yesterday. Notice was also received of the appointment of J. D. Harris to the office of master mechanic of the Toledo division, the same becoming effective immediately upon the retirement of Mr. Smith, which took place this morning. Both of these appointments are promotions which have been earned by assiduous and competent attention to the duties which were assigned to these gentlemen from the first moment they became employes of the Pennsylvania company. Mr. Harris has filled the office of assistant engineer of motive power for several weeks. His successor has not yet been named, but it is believed in Pennsylvania railway circles that the position may fall upon George L. Wall, at present the inspector of motive power.

STILL SCRAMBLING FOR CARS.

Tomorrow the car works at St. Louis will begin turning out New York Central box cars upon an order for 3,500. These cars will be turned over to the Big Four, to be loaded with grain and sent east. This will relieve in a measure the shortage in that class of cars on the Big Four. When it became known in St. Louis shipping circles that these cars were coming orders began to pour into the Big Four and in two days the company had booked orders for 1,500.

DR. TUCKER IS PROMOTED.

Dr. Tucker, the jolly extra medical examiner for the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief association, has been assigned to the regular position at Logansport, vice Dr. C. A. Leisher, who has been called to Cleveland. Dr. Tucker has been here often and made a friend of everyone he met.

NEW SWITCH THROWER.

Charles Scott, a Keystone barber, bids fair to retire from the tonsurial business with a competency that will make future labor a diversion instead of a stern necessity. He has devised a switch thrower for street cars which works like a charm and for which he has already been offered a handsome sum. The switch manipulator is an adjustable affair attached to the under side of the platform of the car. When the motorman wishes to "throw a switch," he simply presses a button with his foot and the machine does the rest. The days of the long and unwieldy switch rod are numbered.

NEW AUDITOR.

Alexander Strauss has been appointed auditor of the Findlay, Fort Wayne and Western road, vice A. B. Merriam, who resigned last week. Mr. Strauss was chief clerk of the road. The appointment became effective this morning. Mr. Merriam has not made known his intentions as to the future.

THE KERR MURRAY WORKS.

The Kerr Murray works is shipping lots of machinery nowadays. Last Saturday three car loads left the works, one going to Peoria, Ill.; another to Johnstown, Pa., and the third to Syracuse, N. Y. The company is making some needed improvements to its shops, not the least important of which is the installation of a large horizontal engine of its own make. The works will be closed a couple days pending the placing of the machinery.

NEW SHOP FOREMAN.

Tony Miller has been appointed foreman of the supply department at the electric works, a position which was vacated last Saturday by Arthur Henstock. Mr. Miller has been employed for some time at the electric works and has acquired a thorough knowledge of the details of the work which will serve him to good purpose in the management of the department. He is also a pleasant fellow and will be popular with both his employers and the men over whom he will have charge.

LIVE STOCK AGENT.

James L. Harris has been appointed general live stock agent of the Wabash with headquarters at St. Louis. Mr. Harris has been with the Wabash for five years in the capacity of traveling live stock agent, making Fort Worth his headquarters.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

The Logansport Journal editorially refers to recent corts of the manufacturers of washing machines to form a combination in the following facetious manner: "The washing machine men are said to be planning a combination for the purpose of fixing prices. What the washing machine men want to do is to form a combination to get out a washing machine that will wash without compelling the head of the family to stay at home from his business on Monday mornings to work the contraption now being turned out under the guise of a washing machine."

A VETERAN ENGINEER.

Gideon Hawley, the oldest engineer on the Lake Shore road, will soon be retired on a pension of $97 per month. He has been actively engaged on the road as engineer for the past fifty years. His home is at Conneaut, Ohio. When he stepped upon his first locomotive in 1845, as a fireman on the Michigan Central, there was no cab for his protection from the weather. A canopy stretched upon four upright rods was above his head, but aside from this scant covering in snonw, rain and wind the engine crew was obliged to rely upon storm coats. The sand box which today occupies a prominent position on the top of the boiler was then a wooden pail. The fireman would fill it at a sand bank and when occasion required its use he would stand upon the front end of the engine and strew the sand over the rails as the early day train moved along at its average rate of perhaps six miles and hour.

DEATH OF F. C. KELLY.

A telegram Saturday night brought to A. G. Porter lodge, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, news of the sad fate which has overtaken Frank C. Kelly, one of the members and until recently a resident of this city.

The dead and mangled body of the unfortunate man was discovered lying at the side of the Southern Pacific railroad, four miles east of El Paso, Texas, Saturday morning, under circumstances which indicate suicide or foul play.

The right leg was cut off near the ankle, the left foot was crushed, a gapping hole was cut in the head and there were two deep cuts in the neck. The latter gave the appearance of having been made with a knife and led to the belief that the young man's death may not have been accidental, though the meagre news from the scene does not positively attribute it to other cause. The telegram stated that Mr. Kelly seemed despondent Friday evening and this fact gives color to the suicide theory.

The remains were shipped here in accordance with instructions from the B. of L. F., and they will arrive next Wednesday. They are coming by way of the Pacific express and the money, $95, to defray the cost of transportation, was deposited at the express office in this city by the brotherhood. J. C. Peltier will take charge of the remains and prepare them for burial, when they will be taken to the home of the bereaved mother, at 22 Madison street. The funeral will probably be held on Thursday, though the exact hour can not be announced until the exact hour of arrival of the remains is known.

Frank C. Kelly was 30 years old and the only son of Mrs. C. Kelly, the aged widow of the ex-city marshal, who died last winter. He was born in this city and resided here until a short time ago, when he went south in search of employment. Prior to the Debs strike, Mr. Kelly was employed on the Nickel Plate road, first as fireman and later as engineer. But because of alleged participation in that struggle he was dismissed from the service. He remained here for awhile, engaged about the city and then went south and took a position as fireman on the Santa Fe, having headquarters in El Paso. Shortly after the strike Mr. Kelly allowed his membership in the brotherhood to lapse on account of non-payment of assessments and dues and was not a member of the order from that time up to last spring. Then he decided to re-engage in railroading and was reinstated in A. G. Porter lodge and remained in good standing up to the hour of his death. He carries a $500 life insurance policy in the order, Mrs. Kelly being the beneficiary.

The aged mother received the sad news from a member of the B. of L. F., who was selected for that painful duty. Her grief over the loss of her boy was heartrending and it has temporarily prostrated her. Mrs. Kelly and a daughter, who is a nun in the Order of Providence, at Terre Haute, are the only surviving members of the family, the father, three sons and two daughters having died within the past two or three years.

This afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock, W. D. Perry, master of the local lodge, received the following telegram from El Paso:

"Kelly's remains left this city this morning for Fort Wayne and will arrive there Wednesday evening at 7:20 o'clock.

Signed, "Nagley & Lyons."

MR. BOYD HONORED.

There was an affecting scene in Master Mechanic G. S. McKee's office yesterday morning, when Mr. R. T. Boyd, the former chief clerk, bade farewell to the men with whom he had been associated, prior to taking his departure for Detroit, where he this morning assumed a responsible position in the office of Supt. J. M. Burns. Mr. Boyd has been chief clerk to Mr. McKee ever since 1892 and the gentlemen thoroughly understand each other and entertain a mutual regard that is seldom equaled. There was, therefore, a mutual regret that the separation in an official way was a necessity. With the other men at the master mechanic's office Mr. Boyd had not been associated so long, but the association had been most pleasant and the parting was also a sad one.

Just before the breaking up of the little gathering in the office, Mr. McKee stepped forward and, in behalf of the foremen of the various departments in the shop and the clerical force and office attaches, presented Mr. Boyd with a diamond scarf pin. The recipient was completely surprised, and for a moment was unable to reply. But if words failed him, his countenance and actions showed due appreciation of the expression of good will conveyed by the token. The same party also paid their respects to Mrs. Boyd in a substantial way, sending to the residence a handsome rocker, which will serve to remind her of a pleasant, though short sojourn in Fort Wayne.

ASSISTNAT GENREAL MANAGER

Indianapolis Journal: "An official of the Pennsylvania company stated on Saturday that M. W. Mansfield, superintendent of the Indianapolis and Vincennes, and of the Indianapolis terminals, will soon be given the title of assistant general manager to General Manager Loree, and that he is now practically holding that position. This will bring to mind the fact that for some months past Mr. Mansfield has spent much of his time in Chicago and Pittsburg, even more than at his headquarters, Indianapolis. The promotion of Trainmaster Landers recently was in the line of lessening the labors of Mr. Mansfield on the Indianapolis and Vincennes. One of the highest officials of the Pennsylvania company recently said to a Journal representative that Mr. Mansfield was one of the most capable officials, and that in the line of engineering he had few, if any, superiors, and when any important improvements on the lines west of Pittsburg were to be considered he was consulted."

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Charles Cran, a molder at the Bass works, went to Toledo this morning.

Assistant Road Foreman Ed. McDonald examined a class of six firemen this morning, the men being in line for promotion to engineers.

Huntington News-Democrat: "Ed Slater, of Fort Wayne, a former Erie boilermaker, is in the city, doing some boiler work for Griffith & Son."

The Paun, Ill., and Washington Ind., shops of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern road will be consolidated and placed under one manangement.

Albert E. Stapleford, of Cleveland, is visiting his father, Charley Stapleford. Albert is connected with the freight department of the Nickel Plate.

General Motive Power Superintendent G. L. Potter and Chief Clerk J. H. Leary arrived Saturday evening and will remain with their families over New Year's day.

The Santa Fe will build a seventy-mile extension to Yellville, Ark., where the company recently purchased 15,000 acres of land. Zinc mines will be opened there.

Conductor George W. Williams and Engineer John Bowdle, who have runs out of Lima, are lying sick at their homes in that city. Both are well known to Pittsburg trainmen.

As a result of a collision on a siding at the junction, west of town, the tanks of freight engine 902 and switch engine 103 were damaged and had to be sent into the shops for repairs.

The axle makers at the Bass works, who have been idle for over a week, expect to resume operations tomorrow morning. The new boiler will be in place and ready for operation then.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fredericks, who have been visiting here for the past week, will return to their home in Dayton tonight. Mr. Fredericks is employed in a big pump factory in that city.

Owen Barry, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, this morning received a message informing him of the death of a relative at Lima, O., and he went down to that city to attend the funeral.

The Lima Choral society, 100 strong, was handled by the Pittsburg this morning, the members coming from Lima, Ada and Delphos. The society is attending a musical festival at Van Wert.

Engineers P. T. Walsh and George Kensill and Firemen H. E. Rapp, E. N. Stafford, J. E. Crawley and J. Longsbaugh have resumed work after an absence for various reasons. They are Pittsburg employes.

Chief Dispacher W. H. Tigar, of the Pittsburg, fell on the icy walk Saturday night and painfully bruised one of his knees. He also received three or four cuts and bruises about the face, though they are not severe.

Lloyd Chapman, who came here yesterday to see his aunt, returned to his home in Marion at noon today. Mr. Chapman is an electrician.

H. H. Patton has been appointed trainmaster of the St. Louis division of the Big Four, effective today, succeeding Richard Doyle, resigned. Patton has been chief clerk in the office of the division superintendent at Mattoon.

Engineers G. V. VanAlsdale and Theodore Titus, of the Pittsburg, are off duty, the former to attend the wedding of his sister and the latter to look after some private business. Fireman G. W. Reinking, of the same road, is sick.

The citizens of Pittsburg have made some valuable concessions to the Pennsylvania company, and as a result the company will, as soon as possible, begin the elevation of its tracks and the erection of a magnificent new union station.

Ed. Parry, of Battle Creek, Mich., is the guest of his father, Conductor J. W. Parry, of South Woodland avenue. "Rafe" Strock, of the same place, is also being entertained at the Parry home. Both young men are in the Grand Trunk shops at Battle Creek.

H. D. Bennett, who in the capacity of assistant general superintendent of the Pennsylvania southwestern lines has frequently visited this city, has severed his connection with that railroad and will become president of the syndicate that controls the American District Telegraph company, whose lines connect St. Paul, Indianapolis and Columbus.

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Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 1.—Gen. Willis J. Hulings, commander-in-chief of the National Association of Spanish-American War Veterans, today announced the following appointments of department commanders:

Alabama, Col. James M. Cox; Arkansas, Col. Vigil T. Cook; California, Col. Victor Duboce; Florida, Col. Irving E. Webster; Illinois, Col. D. Jack Foster; Indiana, Capt. William E. English; Kansas, Maj. A. M. Harvey; Michigan, Col. Chas. L. Boynton; Minnesota, Maj. Francis H. Bidwell; Missouri, Gen. Milton Moore; Montana, Col. C. F. Floyd; North Dakota, Col. William C. Truman; Pennsylvania, Col. Christopher T. O'Neill; South Carolina, Col. Wylie Jones; Texas, Col. G. W. Hardy; Washington, Maj. Edward H. Fox; West Virginia, Capt. John Baker White; Wisconsin, Col. Martin T. Moore.

These officers, together with the commander-in-chief and adjutant general (ex-officio) shall constitute the executive board or council of administration, and they will immediately select a staff to consist of an assistant adjutant general, an assistant quartermaster general, an assistant inspector general, an assistant surgeon general, a judge advocate, a signal officer and a chaplain, who will hold office until further orders.

DISTRIBUTED RELIEF.

The Elks are now ready to distribute their charity fund. The sum of $501 is on hand for this purpose as a result of the recent burlesque circus, and arrangements have been made with the Ladies' Relief Union, the Lakeside Aid society and members of the St. Vincent de Paul society, to send all applicants for aid to the Elks' committee, and their wants will be supplied. The applicant, upon presenting a written order from these societies, will be given an order on local merchants for necessities until the charity fund is exhausted.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Forecast for Indiana—Fair and continued cold tonight and Tuesday; northwest winds.

LOCAL LINES.

Mrs. F. D. Best, of Auburn, spent Sunday in the city with friends.

E. C. Brothman, of Bryan, Ohio, is in the city, spending New Year's day.

L. B. Johns, of Toledo, is visiting Fort Wayne friends for New Year's.

J. H. Foster was in Peru Saturday.

Miss Aileen Ahren is in Indianapolis.

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, of Ida avenue, last night.

Mrs. Emil Alchele, of Kendallville, is the guest of Fort Wayne friends for a week.

Mrs. Perry Schiltz, of Daisy, O., is the guest of her niece, Mrs. W. M. Scholtemeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Yaggy spent the holidays with friends in Woodburn and vicinity.

Orville Dodge, of Washington, D. C., who has been visiting friends in the city, has returned home.

Miss Corinee Dailey, who was the guest of Fort Wayne friends, has returned to her home in Bluffton.

Miss Josephine Trunx has returned to her home in Bluffton after a pleasant visit with Fort Wayne friends.

Mrs. George Nichols returned last evening from a visit at Peru, accompanied by her nephew, Master Willie Stripe.

Mrs. C. L. Drummond and children have returned from Huntington, where they spent the holidays with relatives.

Misses Bessie, Mae and Grace Fitch have returned from Huntington, where they visited at the R. A. Kaufman home.

Mrs. Walter May and son DeWitt have returned from Lafayette, where they were the guests of Judge and Mrs. DeWitt Wallace.

Dr. Baker, who has been in charge of the Boston Dental parlors, has formed a partnership with Dr. Burket, of the Arcade Dental parlors.

Miss Grace Triplette, a teacher at the feeble minded home, has returned from Lafayette, where she went to attend th funeral of the late E. P. Hammond, jr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Waldschmidt will entertain friends this evening at their home, No. 97 Lake avenue, in honor of the fourth anniversary of their marriage.

Miss Alba Bales has returned to her home in Noble county. Her brother, Charles, is much better and it was unnecessary for the sister to longer attend him.

The B. Y. P. U., of the First Baptist church, will hold its annual business meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Henson, 100 West Jefferson street.

Anthony Wayne Chapter, No. 1, of the Indiana society of the Sons of the American Revolution, will hold its annual meeting this evening. Officers will be elected and the birth of General Anthony Wayne will be celebrated.

The concert to have been given by the Walther League of Zion's Lutheran church this evening, for the benefit of those who were unable to gain admittance at the other concert, has been declared off on account of unavoidable circumstances.

John E. Housh, who has been spending the holidays with his family, at 40 Home avenue, returned to Chicago today, where for the past four months he has been employed in one of the leading job printing establishments of that city.

The traveling men and the managers of the Fox bakery and the Wayne Baking company have returned from Toledo, where they attended a meeting of the western representatives of the National Biscuit company. A banquet was tendered them during their visit in that city.

Col. C. E. Briant, of Huntington; Capt. Allen H. Dougall, Henry Zollinger, Thomas Toomey, J. Edsall and J. H. Scovell, of this city, attended the funeral of the late Thomas Brooks at New Haven yesterday. The services were under the direction of Jesse Adams post, G. A. R., and were largely attended.

Otto Muhlenbruch, of 238 East Washington street, entertained a company of friends at progressive games last evening. Oscar Theobold, of Peru, was the guest of honor, and first prizes were won by Miss Louise Auman and Paul Leidolf. The consolation awards went to Miss Clara List and Louis Wheelrath.

At the regular meeting of the Rathbone Sisters Saturday evening the following officers were elected for the coming year: Ella Hartle, P. G.; Tillie Keifer, M. E. C.; Hattie Eickhoff, E. S.; Jennie Klinger, E. G.; Clara Dinius, M. of T.; Gertrude Brann, M. of R. C; Bessie Miller, M. of H.; Mattie Shaw, P. of T.; Tillie Imbody, G. of O. T.; trustee, Frances Dawkins; installing officer, Amelia Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Wall are at home from their wedding tour.

Louis Lancaster, of Chicago, is the guest of Fort Wayne friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, of Galesburg, Ill., are in the city on a visit.

Wm S. Bash has returned to New York city after a visit with friends in the city.

Mrs. C. A. Robbins has returned from a week's visit with her brother in Warsaw.

Mrs. French, of Toledo, who has been visiting Mrs. Frank Schmaltz, has returned home.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Berry street M. E. church on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

Miss Ivalene Dalman, who has been visiting relatives in Ada, Ohio, has returned to the city.

Albert A. Stapleford, of Cleveland, Ohio, is the guest of his father, Chas. Stapleford, of the Nickel Plate.

Mrs. Benjamin Diebold and her son Harry have returned from a three weeks' visit with friends at Mishawaka.

A drunk arrested by Officer Bloom on Saturday evening was let go this morning, having sobered up over Sunday.

Mrs. Pauline Wells and daughter Paulie and son, Master James, of Broughton, Ohio, are guests of Mrs. H. T. Hite, of 131 Broadway.

The Caledonian society will meet on Tuesday evening, instead of this evening. A full attendance is desired, as the new officers will be installed.

Mrs. Patrick Madden, wife of Officer Madden, was operated on today by Drs. H. A. Duemling and W. M. Enslen at the St. Joseph hospital. The operation was successful.

Miss Cora Witte, assisted by Miss Ethel O'Leary, charmingly entertained a number of friends Sunday evening in honor of Jerome Lange, of Chicago, and Will Schreiner, of Columbia City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bickel left yesterday for their home at Mishawaka after spending the holidays with friends and relatives in Fort Wayne. Mrs. Bickel was formerly Miss Timmons and is a sister of Mrs. Benjamin Diebold.

The sunrise prayer meeting at the Third Presbyterian church this morning was fairly well attended and those present report a most enjoyable service. The entire audience consecrated themselves anew to the cause of Christ and will begin the work of the new year with greater zeal than ever before.

THE WIFE WON.

Boston, Jan. 1.—The contest between Mrs. Harriett E. Allen and Mrs. Flora Allen, to establish claim as wife of E. G. Allen, late superintendent of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, who committed suicide in New York recently, was decided today by Judge McKim in the probate court in favor of Harriett E. Allen, who maintained that she was married to Mr. Allen at the Park street church, Boston, in 1872.

THANKS.

The Hoosier Shoe Store heartily thanks its hosts of friends for their liberal patronage that has made the volume of business for the year 1899 the largest in the history of the house. All past records have been broken by the unprecedented large trade of the year just closed.

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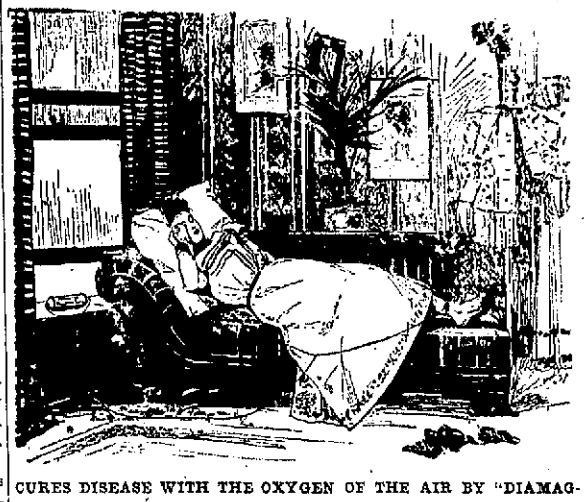

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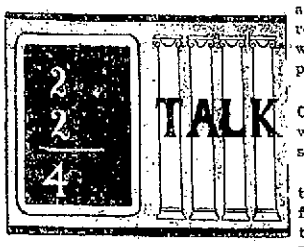

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